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IMPORTANCE OF LONDON FOR FINANCING WORLD TRADE IS NOT DIMINISHED

GOLD NO LONGER GOVERNING PART IN EXCHANGE RELATIONS

Midland Bank Meeting

LONDON, JAN. 26 (REUTERS)—AFTER A CLOSE ANALYSIS OF THE IMPACT OF LARGE-SCALE WITHDRAWAL OF FOREIGN FUNDS FROM LONDON, Mr. Reginald McKenna, Chairman of the Midland Bank, at the annual meeting concluded by saying that the withdrawals did not materially diminish the importance of London as the centre for financing world trade.

"There is no monetary restriction to aggravate the shrinkage of internal business and movement without effect on the cost of the accommodation for business," he said.

"This experience, which is contrary to the previous state of affairs under the gold standard, is due to the new technique of monetary management requiring far more knowledge, judgment and skill than the gold standard."

"Gold continues to play an important part in exchange relations between countries but is no longer a governing part. The stock of gold is larger than ever but the essence of the present system lies not in the amount, but the availability of stock, which regulates the external value of sterling without affecting internal currency."

SIGNS OF RECOVERY

Referring to the business outlook, the chairman said: "There has recently been welcome signs of recovery in the United States but we cannot be certain that it is on a solid foundation until we see convincing revival of large-scale capital investment."

"If in America, saving are left idle, trade depression sets in and unemployment increases. There are no similar grounds for depression in Britain."

The problem of proper use of the nation's savings presents, at present, no difficulties on account of additional armament expenditure

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM

Five Meningitis Cases A Day

"Five cases of cerebro-spinal fever in the space of 24 hours is not an exceptionally large number, bearing in mind the time of the year and the state of congestion in certain parts of Hongkong," said the Hon. Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clark, Director of Medical and Sanitary Services.

This statement was in answer to an inquiry yesterday, made as a result of the fact that included in the returns of notifiable diseases for the 24 hours ended at midnight on Wednesday were five cases of that disease.

The Hon. Dr. Selwyn-Clark added that even more cases might be reported in the near future but that there was no cause for alarm.

Other cases included in the returns were:—
Measles (3), enteric fever (3), tuberculosis (2) and one each of small-pox, diphtheria, chicken-pox, dysentery and puerperal fever.

THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: 1s. 2 7/8d.
T.T. ON NEW YORK: 28 15/16

London Silver Market (Our Own Correspondent)

London, Jan. 26.
London silver prices to-day were down 1/16 as follows:—

	Jan. 25	Jan. 26
Spot	20-3/16	20-1/8
Forward	19-7/8	19-13/16

Death Fall From Roof

A boy, Chan Lap-chi, eight years old, who fell from the roof of No. 9, Jubilee Street to the basement, a height of approximately 70 feet, about 2.15 p.m. yesterday, and was admitted to hospital suffering from a fractured skull and internal injuries, died at 8 o'clock last night.

The boy, who lived on the third floor of the premises with his parents, was playing on the roof when he accidentally tripped and plunged over the parapet.

An ambulance was summoned and he was conveyed to the Queen Mary Hospital, where on admission his condition was stated to be very serious.

He died without recovering consciousness.

GOVERNOR PAYS VISIT TO PRESS



HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, paid a visit to the Commercial Press premises yesterday morning. Picture above shows Sir Geoffrey being introduced to the General Manager, Mr. C. S. Wang, by the Hon. Sir Robert Kotewall, on whose left is Mr. Y. W. Wang, Managing Director of the Commercial Press. (Photo. A. A. Kahn).

PROVINCIAL FORCES CHECK ADVANCE BY JAPANESE TROOPS

Picked Units Line West River Valley Front

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

CHUNGSHAN, JAN. 26—JAPAN'S ADVANCE TOWARDS the north from Canton along the Canton-Hankow Railway and along the West River from Samshui was checked by the provincial forces and other mixed units under Gen. Yu Han-mou.

The West River valley is lined with picked units which blocked the Japanese advance up river, while on the East River front the enemy is on the defensive.

The Japanese are holding Tseng-shing, Tungkwoo, Bocca Tigris and Kowkong in order to command control of the Pearl River which is the main line of communication between the Japanese military in Canton and Formosa, the main Japanese base of operations in south China.

A military conference was held at an undisclosed point, those taking part being Generals Chang Fa-kuei, Yu Han-mou, Yeh Shao, Li Chin-chiao, Li Hon-wan and others. After the meeting, all returned to their respective posts.

Persistent reports that Chinese war planes went into action by bombing and damaging Japanese warships and military establishments in the occupied territory were not denied by the enemy.

Now that certain foreign powers are supplying the Chinese Air Force with machines, it is expected that more Chinese planes will appear in the southern skies to engage the Japanese.

WANG CHING-WEI INJURES BACK IN FALL

SHANGHAI, Jan. 26 (T/Ocean)—Wang Ching-wei is, according to latest reports, still staying in Hanol and is said to be living at the home of the late Gen. Chu Pei-teh, former Chief of the General Staff of the Chinese Army.

Wang is said to have injured his back a few days ago in a fall down some stairs.

Of the three major posts formerly held by Wang, two are still vacant, the third one, that of President of the People's Political Assembly, being taken over by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek. The other two posts are Chairman of the Central Political Council and Deputy Executive of the Kuomintang Party.

For the latter post Dr. Sun Fo, President of the Legislative Yuan, as well as Gen. Chang Chun, Vice-President of the Executive Yuan, have been mentioned but so far no appointment has been confirmed.

PRAISE FOR SOVIETS

German Officer's Tribute

BERLIN, Jan. 26 (Reuters)—Praise for the Soviet army is contained in a front-page article in the "Volksischer Beobachter," the official Nazi organ, which is written by Captain von Zeska of the German General Staff.

He writes that "though the Red Army" has lost striking power through the removal of many high officers, it would be a mistake not to take into account the continual extension of the army, which has naturally increased its offensive strength.

"There can be no doubt that the Russian soldier—as shown in the world war, and the Changkufeng incident—is brave, enduring, and tough, and he knows how to fight splendidly under good leadership."

Captain Zeska estimates that the Soviet air strength is nearly 9,000 machines with reserves. Not all the machines are up to date, he says.

\$90,000,000 FOR RELIEF WORK

CHUNGKING, Jan. 26 (Int'l)—Overseas Chinese have remitted about \$90,000,000 (U.S. \$30,000,000) for relief of wounded soldiers and refugees and other charitable and patriotic purposes, since the outbreak of hostilities, according to a report by the Overseas Chinese Affairs Commission.

Donations from Chinese in the Straits Settlements ranked first with a total of \$24,000,000, with the Philippines, Australia, United States and Hongkong next in the order named.

CHINESE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT DEVELOPING NEW AIR FORCE

American And Russian Equipment Available For Latest Plan

SHANGHAI, JAN. 26 (INT'L)—AMERICAN AND RUSSIAN EQUIPMENT, personnel and advice are now helping the National Government develop a new air force to challenge Japan's mastery of the air over China.

Now that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has reorganized and settled his government and war machine in the far western interior, he has again turned to the Americans who have stood by him from pre-war days, and to the Russians to build a third air force.

FOR SIX MONTHS AFTER THE LOSS OF NANKING Russian-manned, Russian-made planes did most of China's aerial fighting. Reassembled in Hankow, the American factory resumed production of war planes for the Chinese, but few of these craft saw active service, as the Russians preferred their own ships. Russian activity in the form of training Chinese airmen and fighting the Japanese was abruptly halted towards the middle of 1938.

NAVAL RESERVE OFFICERS ASKED TO REJOIN

LONDON, Jan. 26 (Reuters)—Naval officers on the retired list or on reserve are asked to rejoin the Service, especially Lieutenants and Lieutenant-Commanders, who are under 40 years of age. Their services will be for three years. It is stated that when the extra 70 warships are commissioned this year there will be an appreciable shortage of officers and men.

GENERALISSIMO CHIANG Kai-shek's American experts moved to Yunnanfu (Kunming) where, unhampered by political squabbles, they re-established their air school. In recent weeks additional instructors for the task of building a new air corps for Generalissimo Chiang have arrived from the United States.

With the new American fighters, the Hawk, fabricated attack bombers and a miscellaneous number of still serviceable American and British planes as a nucleus, the Chinese military hopes to develop a third wartime air force, manned by cadets now undergoing rigorous training under American instructors in Kunming.

In the interim before the new force will be able to take the air, China's Generalissimo has been assured that he can again depend upon the Russians.

Generalissimo Chiang and his foreign advisers are convinced that an efficient, hard fighting Chinese

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600 U.S. PLANES ORDERED BY FRANCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 (T/Ocean)—Authoritative quarters here confirmed to-day that negotiations are now pending between France and the American aircraft industry regarding the delivery of 600 bombing and pursuit planes of a total value of \$38,000,000.

The State Department has recently issued export licences for 100 Curtiss Wright planes which were ordered by France from the Curtiss Wright works in Buffalo last year.

Details of the new order for delivery of 500 military planes will be settled after the French air mission has returned to Washington from Buffalo.

College Men Doing Work For The Farmers

A STRONG APPEAL TO THE Y'S MEN'S CLUB of Hongkong, as well as other organizations, to participate in the work being done for Chinese refugees at the Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre was made by Mr. Percy Chen, Director of the Centre, at the conclusion of his address to the Club at its weekly tiffin held at St. Francis Hotel yesterday.

Mr. Chen's talk was on the aims and objects, as well as the activities of the Centre, and he incorporated in it detailed information which had hitherto been little known. The address was warmly received.

Mr. S. B. Tan, first Vice-President, was in the chair, and amongst the guests was Professor W. I. Gerrard, Professor of Medicine at the University of Hongkong. The speaker was thanked by Mr. C. P. Wong.

In his appeal, Mr. Chen said: "I here and now appeal first to the

TRAIN CRASH AT HATFIELD

LONDON, Jan. 26 (Reuters)—One person was killed and eight were injured at Hatfield station when an express from Cambridge ran into a stationary train the two end coaches of which were telescoped. Ambulances from neighbouring towns were rushed to the scene but rescue work was held up by snow which fell yesterday.

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Hongkong Sanatorium Relief Workers

The Hongkong Sanatorium and Hospital Medical Relief Group was organized at the outbreak of hostilities when the nurses and other members of the staff of the hospital felt the urgent need for an organization to help in a modest way the enormous task of giving medical relief to the wounded at the front.

With this object in view, the Group offered its services to organizations who were buying and shipping supplies to the front, by giving them facilities in the sterilization of dressings, curing and preserving catgut, etc.

Further, the Group issued monthly subscription books and thanks to the untiring efforts of the nurses and staff and the generosity of friends and sympathizers the returns are encouraging.

The contributions also consist of 5 per cent. of the salary of the staff and nurses.

The collections so far made amount to the following:—

COLLECTIONS	
Charity Concert (September 1937)	\$2,100.29
Monthly contributions from October 1937 to September 1938	7,060.45
Monthly contribution for October 1938	692.87
Monthly contribution for November 1938	849.05
Monthly contribution for December 1938	779.10
Total	\$11,281.56

DONATIONS

Funds to:—
National Red Cross Society of China (per Dr. C. Y. Wu) \$1,137.54
National Red Cross Society of China (per Dr. C. Y. Wu) \$2,164.75

AMBULANCE HANDED OVER TO DR. WU

At an informal gathering yesterday morning at the Hongkong Sanatorium and Hospital, the Medical Relief Group donated an ambulance to the Red Cross Society of China, per Dr. C. Y. Wu.

Wu	1,008.40
National Red Cross Society of China (per Dr. C. Y. Wu)	706.08
National Red Cross Society of China (per Dr. C. Y. Wu)	3,445.00
(to one ambulance)	
Hongkong Emergency Refugee Council	100.00
British Fund for the Relief of Distress in China	1,000.00
Total	\$7,407.02

Drugs to:—

The H.K. Branch of the National Chinese Women's Relief Assn. (\$689.26)

Catgut to:—

National Red Cross Society of China (per Dr. C. Y. Wu) (\$2,164.75)

Total \$10,261.05

In the World of Sports

THIS WEEK'S WINNERS IN HOME FOOTBALL

"Telescope" Selects Them For "Daily Press" Readers

The following are the Home football fixtures for the week-end with the probable winners given in capital type. Each Friday "Telescope" picks the winners for Hongkong followers of this great winter game, the forecast for to-morrow being as follows:—

DIVISION I	
Aston Villa	v
BOLTON W.	v
CHARLTON	v
CHELSEA	v
EVERTON	v
Gillingham	v
LEEDS U.	v
PRESTON N. E.	v
Stoke C.	v
SUNDERLAND	v
WOLVES	v
ARSENAL	v
Leicester C.	v
Middlesbrough	v
Manchester U.	v
Huddersfield T.	v
Blackpool	v
Liverpool	v
Birmingham	v
DERBY CO.	v
Brentford	v
Portsmouth	v

DIVISION II	
Bradford	v
BURNLEY	v
CHESTERFIELD	v
COVENTRY C.	v
Middlesbrough	v
PLYMOUTH A.	v
SHEFFIELD U.	v
Southampton	v
Swansea T.	v
TOTTENHAM	v
TRINEMERE R.	v
FULHAM	v
Norwich C.	v
Bury	v
Notts F.	v
Blackburn R.	v
Millwall	v
Luton T.	v
Newcastle U.	v
SHEFFIELD W.	v
W. Brom.	v
West Ham U.	v

DIVISION III (NORTHERN SECTION)	
Aberdeen S.	v
BARNESLEY	v
Carlisle U.	v
DARLINGTON	v
GATESHEAD	v
HALIFAX T.	v
Hartlepool U.	v
Lincoln C.	v
OLDHAM A.	v
STOCKPORT CO.	v
WREXHAM	v
BRADFORD C.	v
Chester	v
SOUTHPORT	v
Doncaster R.	v
Rochdale	v
New Brighton	v
Rotherham	v
Crewe A.	v
Barrow	v
Hull C.	v
York C.	v

DIVISION III (SOUTHERN SECTION)	
ALDERSHOT	v
BRISTOL C.	v
Cardiff C.	v
GRYSTAL PAL	v
EXETER C.	v
Ipswich T.	v
Mansfield T.	v
NOTTS CO.	v
Q.P.R.	v
SOUTHEND U.	v
WATFORD	v
Newport Co.	v
Clapton O.	v
Bristol R.	v
Torquay U.	v
BRIGHTON	v
READING	v
PORT VALE	v
Northampton T.	v
Walsall	v
Bournemouth	v
Swindon	v

SCOTTISH LEAGUE DIVISION I	
ABERDEEN	v
Aldon R.	v
Clyde	v
HAMILTON A.	v
HEARTS	v
KILMARNOCK	v
Queen of the South	v
Queen's Park	v
RAITH R.	v
RANGERS	v
St. Mirren	v
Third Lanark	v
MOTHERWELL	v
Park Th.	v
St. Johnstone	v
Ayr U.	v
Celtic	v
Hibernian	v
Arbroath	v
Falkirk	v

(League Tables on Back Page)

"TELESCOPE" SPECIAL

13 HOMES.
EVERTON
SUNDERLAND
WOLVES
BURNLEY
COVENTRY
BARNESLEY
OLDHAM
CRYSTAL PALACE
QUEEN'S PARK RANGERS
ABERDEEN
HEARTS
KILMARNOCK
RANGERS

3 AWAYS.
SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY
BRADFORD CITY
READING

3 DRAWS.
MANCHESTER C.
CARDIFF
ALBION.

AUSTRALIAN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

Women's Singles Surprise

MELBOURNE, Jan. 26 (Reuter).—In the semi-finals of the Australian women's singles lawn tennis championships, Mrs. Hopman beat Miss Thelma Coyne 6-3, 6-4, while Mrs. Westacott beat Miss Joan Hartigan 6-2, 6-3. The holder, Mrs. Dorothy Bundy (United States), is not defeating her title.

Surprise was occasioned by the defeat of Miss Nancy Wynne, title favourite, by a young player, Miss Connie Coate in an early round. Miss Coate was defeated by Mrs. Westacott in the quarter finals 6-2, 6-1.

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INTERPORT HOCKEY TRIAL

Players Picked For Sunday's Game

The following players are requested to attend the next Interport hockey trial, which will be held on the Club ground, King's Park, on Sunday, January 29, at 10.30 a.m.:—

J. King (C.B.A.), Ribeiro (Recreo), Benwell (Club), Osman (R.A.O.C.), V. Bond (Club), Sommer (Y.M.C.A.), Lt. Hook (R.A.), W. A. Reed (Recreo), Malik (K.I.T.C.), Parker (Police), Hassan (Radio), R. Marques (Recreo), J. Gonsalves (Recreo), D. Taylor (C.B.A.), S. Fonseca (Recreo), Bartlett (R.A.F.), Kuda Bux (H.K.S.R.A.), S. Fowler (C.B.A.), Pritam Nath (Rajputana Rifles), Lt. Cdr. Kennedy (R.N.), Gurbachan Singh (Radio), Pyara Singh (K.I.T.C.), D. Smith (C.B.A.), Miller (R.A.F.), Bickford (Club), Kraus (Y.M.C.A.) and N. Whitley (Club).

All the above players are requested to be on the ground on time with one coloured and one white shirt.

LEAGUE LEADERS TO CLASH

Important Game In Senior League

AN IMPORTANT LEAGUE CRICKET MATCH, one which may serve as a pointer to the final destination of the senior shield, is amongst those down for to-morrow, when the Indian Recreation Club and Craigengower Cricket Club, joint champions for 1937-38, meet on the latter's ground. Both sides are fielding their strongest possible elevens. The Indians are playing the same team that beat the Navy by seven wickets last week. Craigengower are unchanged from the side that just held Kowloon Cricket Club to a draw, with the exception that U. M. Omar stands down and H. P. Lim takes his place. The names follow:—

INDIANS.—A. R. Minu (Capt.), I. Ali, M. el Arculli, Y. el Arculli, S. A. Ismail, A. R. Kitchell, A. H. Madar, M. P. Madar, K. Nazarin, A. M. Rumjahn and K. M. Rumjahn. Reserve: A. Bakar.

CRAIGENGOWER.—E. Zimmermann, A. Zimmermann, F. R. Zimmermann, A. R. H. Esmail, D. Hung, G. Souza, W. L. Rapley, A. T. Lee, A. K. Ismail, F. J. Billmorla and H. P. Lim.

FRIENDLY MATCH

The following will represent the I.R.C. second string in a friendly match against La Salle College at Sookunpoo:—

M. I. Razack (Capt.), M. R. Abbas, A. Bakar, T. Ali, F. Abdul-Curraem, H. T. Barma, Y. T. Barma, A. H. Ismail, D. M. Khan, A. R. Markar, and O. Rumjahn.

FORTY RUNS IN ONE OVER

WOLLONGONG, Jan. 26.—Playing here for Woonona against Corral in the South Coast competition Athol McDonald of Woonona hit six sixes and a four off one over, lashing at every ball. McDonald scored 71 runs in 12 minutes.

McDonald is only 23 and is one of the Woonona's stock bowlers.

His 71 included 10 sixes and the innings is claimed to be a record for fast scoring on the South Coast.

McDonald's feat, however, did not bring victory to his side as it occurred in Woonona's second innings and Corral won on the first.

COLONY RUGBY XV CHOSEN

STRONG SIDE TO PLAY MALAYA

Following Wednesday's trial, the following fifteen players have been selected to represent the Colony against Malaya in the Interport Rugby match on the Club ground on Saturday February 11 (reading from full-back, right to left):

Lt. J. E. Stevens (Kent); H. D. Bidwell (Club); W. E. Grieve (Club); P. O. Askwith (Dainty); D. H. Stewart (Club); Lt. W. Elliot (Eagle); J. R. Henderson (Club); K. A. Watson (Club); K. W. Salter (Club); Lt. Cuthbertson (R. Scots); A. F. Walkden (Club); W. E. Peers (Club); Lt. Griffiths (Medway); A. J. G. Taylor (Club); Lt. R. E. Crawford (R. O. Sigs).

WORLD BOXING

JOE LOUIS RETAINS HIS HEAVYWEIGHT TITLE

"John Henry" Takes Terrific Beating In One Round

NEW YORK, JANUARY 26 (REUTER).—JOE LOUIS, THE "BROWN BOMBER" of Detroit, last night retained his world heavyweight boxing title when he beat John Henry Lewis, negro holder of the world light-heavyweight title, by a technical knockout in the first round of their scheduled 15-round bout.

Before the fight, the odds were 10 to 1 against Lewis winning and 4 to 1 against him lasting the full distance.

Joe Louis joked with the sports writers who chaffed him about the growth of his beard, whereupon the New York State Athletic Commission ordered him to shave.

BIG ATTENDANCE
There was a big crowd present despite the very cold weather and Harlem's negroes arrived in full force.

There were many former champions present, including Gene Tunney, who retired as undefeated heavyweight champion.

John Henry Lewis entered the ring first and Joe Louis was loudly cheered when he entered and skipped wearing a red, white and blue robe.

GAME TO THE LAST
The fight lasted 2 minutes 28 seconds.

Louis was unquestionably game but no man could stand up against Louis, who unleashed one of his fiercest attacks since he became a headline sensation.

Louis landed four right hooks to the jaw in succession and Lewis staggered down, to rise reeling with terror and helplessness in his eyes.

The referee sprang between them and literally held Lewis back as he struggled to be allowed to continue.

WEIGHING-IN
Joe Louis, holder of the world heavyweight boxing championship, and John Henry Lewis, holder of the world light-heavyweight title, weighed in at Madison Square Garden.

Joe Louis topped the scales at 14 st. 4½ lb., while Lewis scaled at 12 st. 12½ lb.

The doctor who examined both men declared that both fighters were in fine condition, although John Henry Lewis's reflex showed nervousness.

S'HAU TENNIS TEAM DUE

Five Students To Play Here

A tennis team consisting of five students from Shanghai universities will arrive to-morrow in the Empress of Canada to take part in a series of friendly matches against Hongkong clubs.

The players are led by P. G. Tong, Chinese singles champion of Shanghai, and K. P. Li, who with Tong are the Chinese doubles champions of the northern port. They formed the second line doubles combination against Tientsin last year.

The visitors will be here for a fortnight, and it is understood that the University, South China A. A. and Recreio have agreed to arrange for matches.

he struggled to be allowed to continue.

TOKYO BASEBALL TEAM ON TOUR

Giants Arrive In Manila To-morrow

Mr. Taduo Ichioke, chief of the executive committee of the Nippon Professional Baseball League, and his Tokyo Giants, professional baseball team of Japan, are due to arrive in Manila to-morrow for a series of games with local sides. The Tokyo Giants are scheduled to play on the afternoon of their arrival, taking on the customs squad in a 9-inning game at Rizal Stadium.

The delegation which is composed of two officials and 15 players, left for Manila from Nagasaki last Saturday.

The team is reported to be a strong outfit. Yoshio Asanuma, former captain of the Waseda University nine who is coming with the team as general field manager, will coach it. Shigeru Mizuhara, pitcher and captain of the team, is assistant field manager.

The complete schedule for the Tokyo Giants in Manila has not yet been drafted.

The line-ups of the Tokyo Giants follows:—

Victor Starlin (Pitcher), Tetsuji Kawakami (Pitcher), Yasuo Kusunoki (Pitcher), Shigeru Mizuhara (Pitcher), Masaki Yoshiwara (Catcher), Fumio Nagasawa (1 B), Yasuhiro Inouye (2 B), Shigeru Chiba (3 B), Toshio Shirahashi (ss), Akira Iwamoto (Utility infielder), Masao Santa (1 D), Kikui Hirayama (c f), Haruyasu Nakajima (r f), Ha Go (Utility out fielder), Eiichi Yamamoto (Utility out fielder).

CRICKET IN THE PHILIPPINES

Rules Are The Same: Language Different

Cricket, which, despite the many obvious difficulties, has for some time past more or less established a hold in certain parts of the Philippine Islands, continues to flourish there.

The game is played under the same rules as exist elsewhere, the only difference, as the following extract from a Manila paper of January 23 shows, being the descriptive language of the game in which there is a distinct savour of America's national pastime.

"In a return cricket match with the Indian Cricket Club, the Nomads emerged victors by 17 runs in a low scoring cricket contest yesterday morning.

The Nomads took first turn at bat and lost a wicket from the first ball. The side were always in difficulties against the accurate Indian twirling and, with nobody to stop the riot, were all out for 51, a score which should have been easy for the Indian squad.

"The Indians found even more trouble when they batted, however, and in spite of extremely cautious tactics and the help of errors by the Nomads' fieldsmen, the entire side was dismissed for 37.

"Hofmann, a new Nomad Southpaw trundler, showed good form, taking five wickets for ten runs and would have had even better figures, had it not been for an epidemic of missed catches."

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

BADMINTON.—Mixed Doubles League, St. John's v. Club de Recreio; Taikoo v. Kowloon Tong; Y.M.C.A. Badminton, 8.30 p.m.

GOLF.—Ladies Capt's. Cup, 1st round; Ladies Club championship.

HOCKEY.—Hongkong Ladies Hockey Club Annual Dance, Hongkong Hotel, 9.15 p.m.

TO-MORROW

FOOTBALL.—First Division: Kowloon v. St. Joseph's (Kowloon), 4 p.m.; South China "B" v. Hongkong F.C. (Caroline Hill), 4 p.m.; Middlesex v. Kwong Wah (Sookunpoo), 4 p.m.

Second Division: R.A.O.C. v. Hongkong F.C. (Caroline Hill), 2.30 p.m.; Kowloon v. St. Joseph's (Kowloon), 2.30 p.m.; Middlesex v. Kwong Wah (Sookunpoo), 2.30 p.m.; R. Engineers v. 5th R.A. (Military), 4 p.m.

Third Division (A): 5th R.A. v. Electric (Military), 2.30 p.m.; Third Division (B): Ku-maons v. Powhatan (Chatham Rd.), 2.30 p.m.; 24th R.A. v. R.A.F. (St. Joseph's), 2.30 p.m.; R. Engineers (E) v. R.A.M.C. (Chatham Rd.), 4 p.m.

LAWN BOWLS.—Civil Service Cricket Club v. Kowloon Cricket Club (Kowloon Cricket Club), 2.45 p.m.

PEN ANGUISH

A sudden spasm which often comes to those going home on leave about a week out of Hong Kong, when they suddenly realise that H.B. BEER will not be obtainable for a while.



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HONG KONG SHOPPE

Last few days
of
Sale

HATS for all occasions.

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Double Salary is being begged by her husband to give up her position and remain at home. He contends it is possible to live on his salary, however, his wife desires a few of the luxuries of life which they could not have unless she worked or he received more pay.

IF THERE IS A DEFINITE reason for a wife earning a salary, such as, care of her parents or insufficient funds for daily expenses, a man should be very grateful. But when a wife works for a salary out of sheer boredom, or to occupy her daytime hours, she is not fulfilling her marriage duties. A woman's place is in the home and to make one for her husband and children.

It is satisfying to have luxuries of life such as a car, trips, fur coats, and a beautifully furnished home, but these are the material aspects which soon dissolve or become a burden. Companionship, understanding, consideration and dependability, plus the spiritual side of the husband and wife is neglected and soon does not exist.

Try giving up your job; stay at home and make it as pleasant as possible. Your husband's suggestion is the handwriting on the wall. You are slowly destroying his pride and his faith in his ability to support a home and you take care, your independence will increase if you stay in the business world and in a few years you may find yourself without a husband who will turn towards the woman who can stay at home and like it.

A MOTHER WRITES of her 17-year-old daughter attending parties and dances at hotels and not returning until the early hours of the morning. Should she forbid her daughter going out in the evening? The situation worries her a great deal and causes many arguments between the two.

A GIRL OR BOY AT this age should not be allowed to keep his own hours. They are still under age, and not only speaking by the calendar. Midnight or half after should be the hour they are safely in bed at home. If but from a standpoint of health. Do not nag your daughter nor dictate, it would be much better to have a friendly agreement on this point which would produce better results. Perhaps I may be wrong, but if many parents dropped the "know it all" attitude they would have much more influence over their children. Treat your daughter as your equal and a person to be relied upon, then you will notice a change in her behaviour.

AN OLDER SISTER employed in the Colony and guardian to her 18-year-old sister writes of a decision she must make regarding the latter. Neither mother nor father are living. The 18-year-old desires to go to America and seek employment, she has never travelled away from Hongkong but for a holiday. The older girl cannot afford to give up her position here and accompany the younger girl, yet she does not wish to hold her back.

YOU HAVE TAKEN THE correct outlook on the situation, do not try and tell your sister what she can and cannot do. However, America at this time has a large unemployment problem. Working conditions in that country are entirely different from here and expenses are higher. Try and have your sister sidetrack this idea until she is over 20 years of age. Maybe at that time you can go with her.

It is not wise for an inexperienced girl so young to travel over the world alone. Plan and build during the next two years this trip and if it is not possible do not allow her go unless she definitely has a position waiting for her.

ANOTHER MOTHER IS having difficulties with her son of 18. He is employed but makes very little in salary. His family have offered him further education but he does not desire to continue his schooling. According to his family he is wasting his time and drifting. He wants to go to sea but his father objects strongly.

BY ALL MEANS ALLOW the boy to go to sea. If you do not he will disappear from the home eventually and follow his desire. At sea he can learn many lessons of life, besides travelling in different countries will do him good. The life of a seaman is hard but the supervision is very good. Let him get this urge out of his system, then again he may find his career and eventually turn out to be an efficient sea-captain. If not, he will return home after a year or so and settle down to another occupation.

The boy is very young and, unless he has a special talent, there is no reason why his father should not aid him in securing a job with a well-known and respected steamship line.

TWENTY-FIVE HAS GIVEN her heart to a divorced man, eight years older, established in the business world and respected by his friends. Her mother refuses consent to the marriage, she does not approve of divorce. The writer states that if she marries the man, her family will have nothing more to do with her. Should she think of her relations or herself at this time?

DIVORCE IS AN EXCELLENT institution if used correctly. From your description the man sounds well balanced and secure in his profession. Because he made one mistake and had the courage to correct it does not mean he will make another. To secure a divorce requires fortitude, it is not pleasant and leaves a scar which only time can erase.

However, it is far better to be divorced than to live a lie with another person. Many married people to-day have lost the affection, understanding, companionship and respect for each other are living together, and not very creditable lives nor enjoyable. If you have decided that the two of you are suited and that your affections are deep and understanding, there is no reason why you should not marry.

Forget your family for the time being, it is your life and you must lead it, the relations will see your side eventually and all of you will no doubt live happily ever after.

DEAR FAITH PRIOR: Can you tell me what is wrong with the young women in this Colony regarding their dancing? I am so tired of pushing them around the hotel dance-floors, of their bored expressions and conversation, that I have finally turned to dance halls. There you find intelligent girls who can dance though their conversation is limited.

Maybe I am so boring that they do not care to dance with me and must drain glass after glass of liquor, leaving me to more or less carry them home. This is terrible. Are all women like that here? A DANCER.

DEAR DANCER: I can assure you that all the women do not follow your description. And there may be some truth in your statement, that it is your fault. However, when a lady accepts your invitation for dancing and dinner it is her business to see that you are entertained and amused. About the dancing, maybe it is your fault, the band music or her feet hurt.

Try paying more attention to your leading, your dancing steps may be too intricate, she cannot follow you. Try a few compliments, they usually shake a woman out of her self and make her more

Fashion PRE-VIEW

MAN TO THE WOMAN

FASHION CENTRES ON TWEED

THE OLDEST QUESTION OF TIME - Do women dress for men those creatures who actually make the wheels of life go round?

Women are only half the world. The other half, and stronger, is man. The exciting half. The soothing half. The vital half. The disappointment and the exaltation. The sherry in woman's soup and the stock. The mixed blessing. The applauders of women's emancipation and the decriers thereof.

He is susceptible to blondes, and with his fellow-drones swarm after the most obvious queen bee. He takes the ladies out to dinner but when it comes to hanging pictures he melts into ether. He forgets the rent but remembers the flowers. Or vice versa. He rages against make-up but remains immune to faces "un-retouched". The necessary evil - men - the Gallahads, Lancelots, Mickey Mice.

If women are independent, if they make their own decisions, stand pretty on their own two feminine feet, the picture is still out of drawing unless the figure of a man is sketched in too. If women like scrapping the world bare-handed (mindful of the cyclamen nail polish) and can point to a job well done, is it out of order to remind them selves that man could do it better?

No anti-feminist propaganda this, but fact facing, men bridge rivers, build homes, dig subways. They herd traffic safely through streets. They invent television and electric razors. They deliver the morning milk, chaperon the mail and fix fridges. They won't carry bundles and forget birthdays.

They indulge in women's toiles and laugh at their hats. They are fathers, brothers, husbands, sons and sweethearts. Therefore those granite-like handshakes, sturdy smiles, ashes dropped squarely on the living-room rug.

MIXED TWEEDS

With the mixed tweeds, woollens and wool crepes, strictly snappy sport felts are worn. The veil is on the wane for other wise than very dressy hats, the style of the new hats depends on colour and cut.

Gloves in this picture are of doe-skin, heavy calf, shaggy or suede and leather. Hosiery are on the waxy shade and should blend with the footwear composed of leather in kid or reptile, suede and leather combined or a light tan calf with dark brown trim.



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for all men, here, there and everywhere the ladies bow down.

BORROW HABITS

Women borrow their habits from the males in business to pleasure, their clothing styles, jewelry, practically everything about a man, a woman copies, but ah! to such a better advantage.

Fashion centres for the males and females are yelling about tweeds, soft and heavy woollens for the in-between season day-time wear. One piece tweed frocks in vibrant colour. Two

amiable and receptive. In other words dig out of past history the "line" and turn it on full blast, not only will it amuse you but do wonders concerning the attention of your female companion.

(Each week in this Column FAITH PRIOR answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the "Daily Press.")



Round The Shops

This coming week is about the last opportunity shoppers will have to avail themselves of the bargain values now offered in local shops. By the first of the month all the reduced merchandise will be cleared and the new spring and summer selections will be arriving.

Many items of apparel now on sale will be very useful in the summer wardrobe and luck is that they are about half the price you will pay during April to September. Final Sale!

Lane Crawford's stand for quality, value and first class merchandise, therefore, everyone knows that when this shop has a sale the value is twice the retail cost.

The merchandise throughout the store is now on sale and will be until the end of the month. Special reductions in various departments have been taken.

Women's frocks in crepe, wool, satin, chiffon and a few summer wash silks are twice reduced. The size and colour range is limited, but there are excellent values in this group.

A saving of savings are the "Nattikni" one piece dresses, two and three piece suits. Various styles and colour combinations are in this group, and what a find they are, particularly this time of the year and for the coming spring days! These garments are smart under winter coats and equally so in warmer weather without a coat.

A large selection of colours is in the sweater group. Of course, you never can have too many of this type apparel. French, English, German, machine and hand knit sweaters are designed in tailored or dresser models. Skirt and sweaters are never out of vogue, and they serve effectively on many occasions.

Tweeds & Woollens

Rough, nubby, scratchy tweeds are the rage for the spring and in between season fashion selections. Suits, dresses and odd jackets and skirts are tailored from seemingly outlandish woollens, but so very stunning when worn with the correct accessories. And don't think the Colony is not up with the style centres in Europe and America, because Rivelle in the Arcade has received a small selection of good looking two piece woollen and tweed ensembles. Also, the wool frocks in this specialty shop are the latest in colour, design and workmanship.

Greens, terra-cottas, wines, grays, blues, tans and brown always appear richer in colour when woollens are used. All of these tones are on parade in trick and smart costumes for this present day in Rivelle's Shop. Values On Sale.

Every shopper wants her value worth. Mayo's in the Arcade not only gives you value, but at a reduction! The sale in this shop will continue for a few more days, then you will notice that sale hat you had your eye on has gone back to 15 or 19 dollars.

Naturally, you do not wish to invest a great deal of money in a hat at this time of the year. Spring styles are not yet decided. You do not have to do so. This shop is offering you a bonnet for this in between season at half the price. And what a new chapeau can do for a lady's soul!

Dresses, cocktail and afternoon, and a few evening frocks are also on sale. Keep in mind the parties on the calendar before Lent, you will need new frocks and the summer ones would be out of place. Chiffon, satin, crepes and matelass materials are designed in evening ensembles of high style.

gets in your hand bag could have been picked up from your brother's dressing table, the smoking equipment, case, lighter, holder, and the bill fold, note book, fountain pen and pencil set.

Of course, women do not dress for men, only for their personal satisfaction. But if they have an engagement with Mr. Male for the races next week-end they will be absolutely positive about appearing in the best their bank account allows.

Women are left "holding the bag" but it is the men who fill it - M'Lady - M'Lord!

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ON LOOKING PRETTY: USEFUL HINTS

A PLEASANT FACE IS ALWAYS A BEST SELLER more so than one with mere perfection of features. It will offset many flaws, even grave ones.

"Take the sneer off your face," many women have just that expression and are totally unconscious of the fact. In this instance make-up can help you. A naturally thin, short upper lip, which gives the appearance of derision, can be made to look sympathetic, when colour is applied more heavily there, the cleft in the centre may be emphasized, and rouge the corners of the mouth upward.

A full lower lip however, should be touched lightly with rouge that stops short at the corners. Try this if you happen to have a thin upper lip or a mouth that falsifies your natural sweetness by physical contours that suggest sternness or scorn. And discipline your mouth to smile.

The winningness of a face also depends on the eyes. If, for instance, they protrude a trifle too much, wear more vivid make-up on your face. But on your lids use a dull shade of powder, darker than your skin tones. Groom your eyebrows for a more luxuriant effect and a softer frame for your eyes. Pluck the brows only for a cleaner line.

Accent them with mascara, which darkens the brow without marking the skin. Touch your upper lashes with the same shade of mascara, but leave them uncurled and unspread.

KEEP BROWS LOW

For eyes that are too deep-set, you would reverse the process, striving to emphasize the spacing around the sockets. Keep the brows low. If you will pluck them only from the top and mark them from underneath, your brows, brought closer, will help to give a feeling of increased size.

The more exactly you can match the shade of your eyes with shadow, the more their natural colour will be intensified. And eyes which flash with animation and colour are vital even in deep-set recesses.

Finally, consider your chin. You can have a weak chin and the strength of character of a Joan of Arc. But your face is not in scale. Avoid this by building out your hair in the back to give the head better proportions.

Then dip your hair over your forehead to reduce the importance of the upper part of your face, and make your chin look stronger. Wear lighter powder on your chin than on your face, and hats which partly cover your forehead with trimming centred in the back.

Pay attention to such hints and you will certainly be "personality plus!"

SOMEBODY IS LOOKING!

Do women ever stop to realize the unnecessary antics they put themselves through when in public? Here are a few that many of them are guilty of and how they appear to the woman or man sitting across from you!

(A) Many times, in fact everyday a woman with one or more men will suddenly discover the fatal charm of a man across the lounge or dining room and her present escorts are ignored.

(B) Women with vainly to satisfy slip those tight pumps off under the table, how ridiculous they are when they commence to fish for the lost shoe under the table or seat.

(C) Your menu is ordered, arrives before you, the woman changes her mind and wishes a steak. Thus the escort waits for the new order while his dishes get cold.

(D) Or all reserve vanishes, out come the compact and lipstick for a new paint job. The man wonders what dressing rooms are really for.

(E) How many times have you heard a young lady say to her escort, "may I have my gloves, compact or coin purse," and out it comes from his pocket?

(F) The escort is interested in conversation with his guest, she prefers handkerchiefs, twisting, glancing about or hand examination to paying attention.

(G) Passing by mirrors or shadow windows few women can resist looking at the tilt of their hat, the hair arrangement or the make-up on their face.

Many women commit these sins several times a week, and if only you could see yourself as the man or another woman does you would run for your Emily Post or the equivalent.

It is not always a fine bird that has fine manners!

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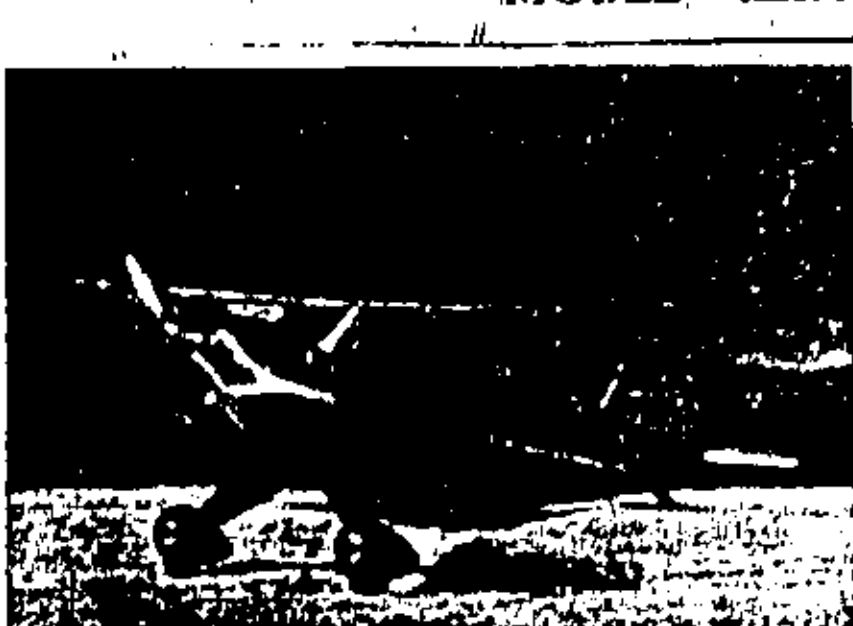
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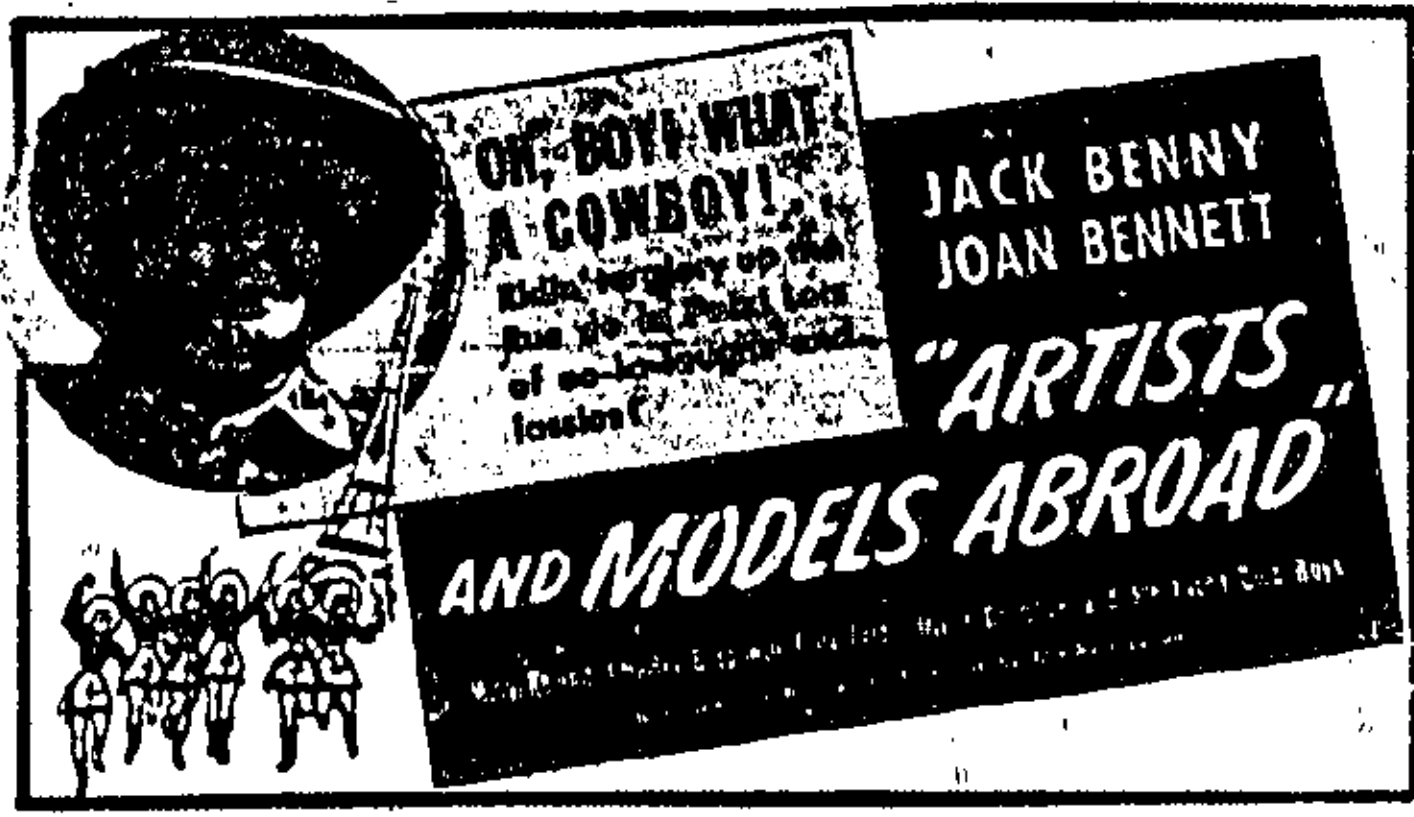
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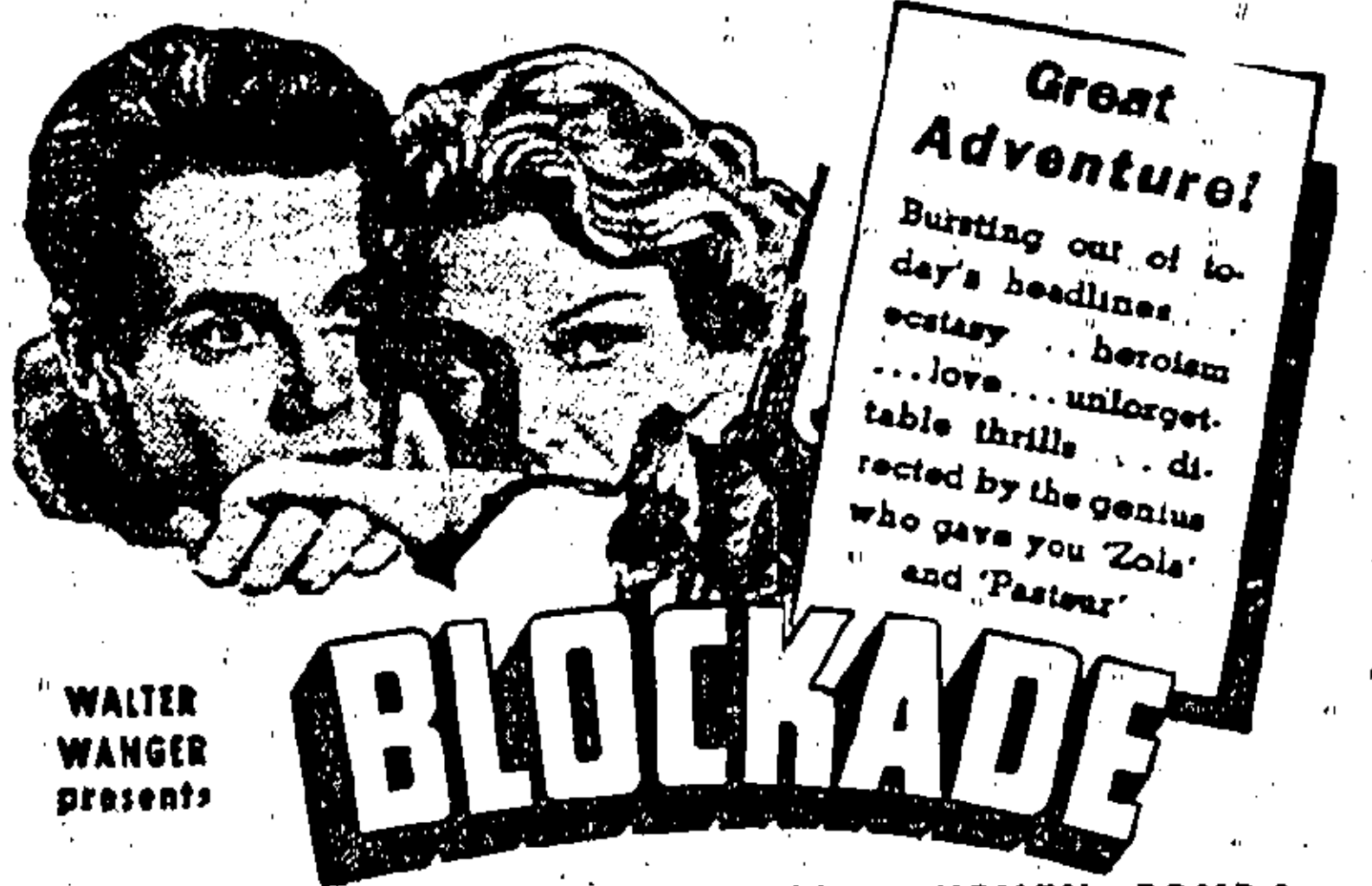


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Today's Screenings

Hongkong

KING'S
"Love Finds Andy Hardy"
QUEEN'S
"Artists And Models Abroad"
ORIENTAL
"Blockade"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA
"Artists And Models Abroad"
STAR
"Good Old Soak"
MAJESTIC
"Tip-Off Girls"

Coming

KING'S
"Beau Hunks"
QUEEN'S
"Paris Honeymoon"
ORIENTAL
"Swiss Miss"
ALHAMBRA
"Paris Honeymoon"
STAR
"Night Must Fall"
MAJESTIC
"Everybody Sings"

New Drama

A startling picture of a new
racket so ruthless that it uses
lovely young girls to help trap its
victims is told in "Tip-Off Girls,"
which had its showing at the
Majestic Theatre. This story of
a menace which took an estimated
fifty million dollars in tribute
from American business last year
is forcefully presented by a cast
of popular character players and
gives a wholly new slant on the
methods employed by gangsters.
Lloyd Nolan, well known to
moviegoers as a "bad man,"
now plays the hero of the
piece, the G-man who sets
out to bust up a gang of hijack-
ers and finds the road rougher
than he expects when he
falls in love with the secretary
of the ringleader, lovely Mary
Carlisle.

"LOVE FINDS ANDY HARDY"

The Judge Hardy Family is
loose again! In "Love Finds Andy
Hardy" they create another alter-
nately humorous and dramatic
episode from the life of a typical
American family. This picture
opens at the King's Theatre to-day.
The fourth episode in the life of
the Hardy Family is by far the
most amusing and entertaining to
date. Once more it affords the
family, consisting of Lewis Stone

SINO-BRITISH RELATIONS

Brought Closer By
The Air Mail

Commenting upon the arrange-
ment between the Chinese Govern-
ment and the Imperial Air-
ways for through air mail and
passenger traffic between China
and Europe, particularly England
via Yunnan and Burma, the
"Hongkong Ta Kung Pao" in a
leaderette states that this marks
a new epoch in the history of
Sino-British communications.
The inauguration of the new
air service will bring the Chinese
and British people closer and will
speed up communication be-
tween China and Britain con-
siderably, the journal declares.
This new co-operation between
China and Britain, the journal
adds, demonstrates the friendly
relations existing between the two
countries, and the thorough un-
derstanding of the Chinese situa-
tion on the part of Britain, for
which China has to thank the
British envoys and people in
China who have constantly sup-
plied authentic information to
their home country.

DANISH CONSUL ON LEAVE

Manager of the East Asiatic
Co., Ltd. and Consul for Den-
mark, Mr. E. Koch left Singa-
pore recently on his way to Co-
penhagen and a well earned holi-
day.
Mr. Koch is a well known per-
sonality in Singapore, and has
been a resident here since 1916.
Comparing the Singapore of
yesterday with the Singapore of
to-day, Mr. Koch commented upon
the rapid expansion which had
taken place both in trade and
building.
"Singapore trade has increased
greatly, and I think," he con-
cluded, "that the Singapore of to-
morrow will be a still better
place."

CHINESE RAID AT YEHCHIALUNG

KIANGSU, Jan. 26 (Central).—
Twenty Japanese soldiers were
killed and many falls were torn
up by Chinese guerrillas during
a raid at Yehchialung on the
Nanchang-Kiukiang Railway on
Tuesday night.

Mickey Rooney, Cecilia Parker, Fay
Holden and Betty Ross Clarke with
every opportunity for capitalizing
on the homespun drama of every-
day life

JAPANESE SET BACK

Hsueh Attempt
Unsuccessful

KIANGSU, Jan. 26 (Central).—
Japanese forces attempting
to drive away Chinese guer-
rillas operating along the
Lunghai Railway, east of Hsu-
chow in north Kiangsu, have
encountered a severe set-back.
The Japanese columns en-
gaged in the "mopping up"
campaign have been badly
beaten, the column at Tso-
chiayu, east of Sutsien, suf-
fering the most casualties.
Various villages in the vicini-
ty, including Tsaochiamao, King-
schochen and Yaowan, were re-
captured by the Chinese between
January 20 and 23. The re-
capture of Yaowan, on the
Grand Canal northwest of Sutsien,
followed an overwhelming
Chinese victory.
The Chinese began an en-
veloping attack on the night of
January 23. They dislodged the
enemy and drove them out of
the town. Some 200 Japanese
and Japanese-employed irregu-
lars were taken and more than
170 were killed. Over 200 rifles
were seized by the Chinese.

CHIHSIEN IN RUINS

SIAM, Jan. 26 (Central).—A
total of 103 Chinese non-com-
batants were massacred and six
taken prisoner by the Japanese
during their brief occupation of
Chihsien, in west Shansi "near
the Yellow River, recently.
The town, which has now re-
turned to Chinese control, is in
ruins. Over 600 houses were de-
stroyed and upwards of 500 live-
stock were butchered by the Ja-
panese.
The roads in the town and the
highways connecting it with
neighbouring districts were all
damaged by the Japanese before
their withdrawal.

LONG TALK OVER JEWISH PROBLEM

BERLIN, Jan. 25 (Reuter).—
Mr. George Rublee, to-day re-
sumed conversations with the
German authorities on the Jewish
problem in a two-hour meeting
with Dr. Wohltat, specially ap-
pointed German Commissioner,
who told Mr. Rublee that the
Government's views were still re-
presented by Dr. Schacht's plan.
Accordingly Mr. Rublee and his
colleagues are putting the finish-
ing touches to a written memoran-
dum embodying the German
views and intentions, and it is
expected that he will go through
them, clause by clause, with Dr.
Wohltat.

CABIN BOY LOSES APPEAL

British Court's
Right Of Trial

The reserved judgment of the
Judicial Committee of the Privy
Council, dismissing the appeal of
a Chinese cabin boy who was con-
victed in Hongkong in August,
1937, of murder, was delivered re-
cently.
Chung Chi Cheung, 23, was
sentenced to death by the
Supreme Court of Hongkong for
the murder of Capt. Douglas Lorne
Campbell, the master of the armed
cruiser, the Cheung Keng, in the
service of the Republic of
China, while the cruiser was in
British waters off Futuamun.

An appeal against his conviction
and sentence was subsequently dis-
missed by the Full Court of Hong-
kong, and it was against this de-
cision that the appeal was made
before the Judicial Committee.
It was contended on Cheung's
behalf that the Cheung Keng, as a
public armed vessel of a visiting
State, and her crew were immune
from the jurisdiction of the Courts
of Hongkong, into whose territorial
waters she had entered.
Two days in October were de-
voted to the hearing of the appeal
before the members of the Judicial Com-
mittee in attendance being Lord At-
kin, Lord Macmillan, Lord Porter,
Sir Lancelot Sanderson and Sir
George Rankin.
Delivering the judgment of the
Committee, Lord Atkin recalled
that both the cabin boy and the
captain were British nationals.

TWO THEORIES
On the question of jurisdiction
there were two theories. One was
that a public ship of a nation for
all purposes either was, or was to
be treated by other nations as,
part of the territory of the nation
to which it belonged. The other

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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY
ANNIVERSARIES AND HOLIDAYS
—Mozart born, 1756; St. John
Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor.
AUCTIONS.—Household Furniture,
at 2 Connaught Road Central,
2.30 p.m.
CINEMAS.—(See Column 3 of this
Page).
DANCES.—Hongkong Reel Club
Children's Class at Union
Church, Kennedy Road, 5.30
p.m.; Hongkong Ladies' Hockey
Club Annual Dance, at Hong-
kong Hotel Roof Garden, 9.15
p.m.
ENTERTAINMENTS.—Hongkong
Chamber Music Club Concert,
in Fung Ping Shan Chinese
Library, H.K. University, 9.15
p.m.; Retreat, by the Band of
the Royal Scots, on Hongkong
Cricket Club ground 5 p.m.;
Grand Services Benefit Concert,
in Peninsula Hotel Rose Room,
9 p.m.
LECTURES.—Dr. French Oliver
on "What About Hell?" in
Kowloon Union Church, 7.45
p.m.; Full A.R.P. Wardens'
Course, Volunteer Headquar-
ters, 10 a.m.; First Aid by the
Military Hospital Matron, at
P.W.D. Offices, 5.30 p.m.; at
Ying Wah Boys' College, 8
p.m.; A.R.P., Maryknoll con-
vent School, Kowloon, 4 p.m.;
at Club Lusitano, 5.30 p.m.
MAILS.—(See Page 16).
MEETINGS.—Annual, of Christ
Church, 3 Duke Street, Kowloon
Tong, 8.30 p.m.; Helena May
Religious Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.
MISCELLANEOUS.—Y. M. C. A.
Ladies' Bridge Class and Prac-
tice Play, 10 a.m.
MOON.—Chinese XII Moon, 8th.
Day.
SOCIAL.—Whist Drive and "Tom-
bola in R.E., W.O.s. and Serpts",
Mess, Wellington Barracks, 9.15
p.m.
SPORTS.—(See Page 2).
SUNRISE.—7.04 a.m. SUNSET.—
6.07 p.m.
TIDES.—High at 13.08. Low at
08.46 and 18.34.

Judge Says Defence Was Disgraceful

At the conclusion of a case in
Westminster County Court, in
which judgment with costs was
given against Albert Clement
Herbert Burchard, of St. James's
street, W., Judge Sir Mordaunt
Snagge said: "I have not the
slightest doubt that defendant
has committed perjury in this
box. I think it has been a dis-
graceful defence."
Douglas Craig Croom Johnson,
investor, of Coppin's Cottage,
Coppin-lane, Iver, Bucks, sued
Mr. Burchard for £26 13s 4d, four
months' salary alleged to be due
under an agreement.
Mr. Caporn, for Mr. Croom
Johnson, said that his client
entered into an agreement in
April with Mr. Burchard, by which
he was to give his consultative
services in the matter of gas
respirators and gas-proof shelters.
Mr. Burchard's case was that
he had been led to believe that
Mr. Croom Johnson had secured
orders from the B.B.C. and the Air
Ministry for gasproof tents which
Mr. Croom Johnson had invented.
He was extremely annoyed when
he found there were no such orders
and ignored Mr. Croom Johnson's
application for his salary.
Mr. Croom Johnson denied that
he made the misrepresentations
alleged.

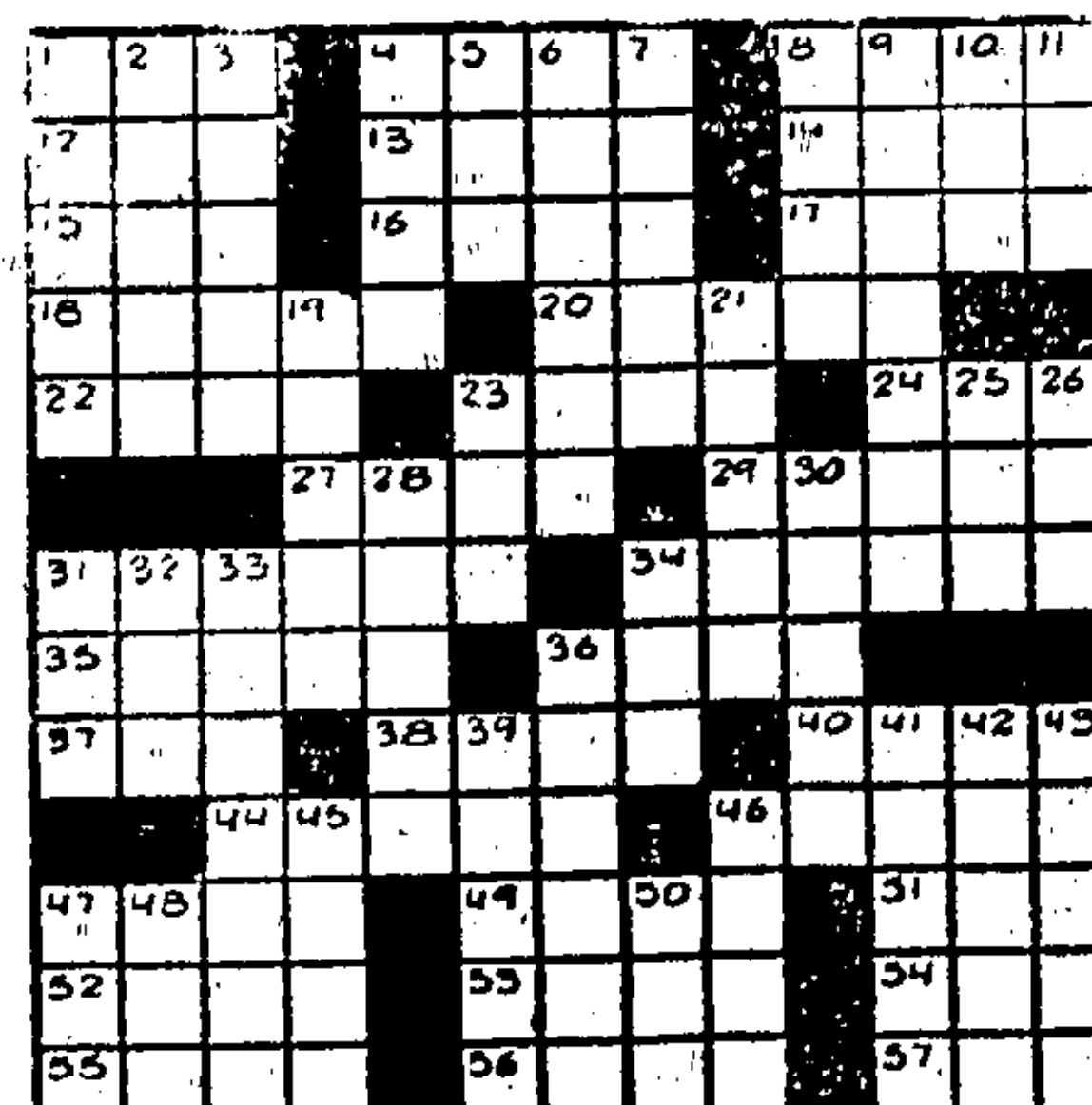
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ACROSS

1. Worm
4. Sensitive mental perception
8. Primly neat
12. Permit
13. Fragrant resin
14. Form of glory
15. Ornamental spiral
16. Grass land
17. Frozen
18. Chop into small pieces
20. Biblical name
22. Shaker-spearman character
23. Raised
24. Female of the sheep
27. Very old
29. Complete
31. Bivalve mollusc
34. Foreigners
35. Harangue
36. Agave fibre
37. Seized with the teeth
38. Fish of the herring family
40. Play boisterously
44. College yell
46. Entangle
47. Pain
49. Rounded organ
51. Arabian name
52. Man of action
53. Genus of trees of the olive family



DOWN

1. Fragrant oleoresin
2. Rich brown colour
3. Prick painfully
4. Narrative part
5. Winged
6. Craven person
7. Rigid
8. Vessel
9. Knife resembling a broad sword
10. Rubber tree
11. Delty
19. Seashore
21. Mature person
23. Babylonian deity
25. Tumour of the skin
26. Bitter vetch
28. Web-footed birds
30. Crowlike headress
31. Unruly crowd
32. Swiss canton
33. Hand bag
34. Help
36. Word of promise
39. Serf
41. Egg-shaped
42. Fruit of a certain plant
43. Wielded diligently
45. Possessive pronoun
46. Quantity of paper
47. Fires
48. Farm animal
50. Singing insect

SOLUTION TO-MORROW

WOMEN'S PAGE

"LUCKY THE BRIDE—"

Ashby-Hughes Wedding At The Peak Church

By ROZANNE

IF A LIGHT WARM BREEZE, beautiful blue skies and a beaming sun are omens for married life Robert Ronald Wilson Ashby and Doreen Patricia Hughes, who were married at the Peak Church on Wednesday, have nothing to fear.

The bride's frock of gleaming white satin was simply beautiful and beautifully simple. Rising from the moulded bodice two sprays of pearl worked flowers twined to the high neck. The shoulders were stiffened and slightly epauletted and the long sleeves were tight fitting.

An unusual note was struck by the real lilacs worn on the head. These held the long chiffon veil in place and matched the bride's bouquet.

The small page, Bruce Valentine, in white velvet coat and pantaloons carried the ends of the long veil, which formed a train, admirably.

In the absence of Mrs. Valentine, whose husband gave away the bride, Miss F. A. M. Harrop acted as matron of honour. Outstanding points of her royal blue satin gown was the tiny veiled white fur cap and muff to match.

THE RECEPTION

At the reception at Mr. Valentine's house, so conveniently at walking distance from the church, I had more time to look about me and see what others were wearing. Mrs. Dodwell, who with her husband were among those who signed the Register, wore a large black fine-straw hat to match her black coat, under which I caught a peep of a flowered dress.

Mrs. Marton, just back from a honeymoon spent in Indo-China, wore a smart grey fur coat and sported a hanging-over-one-eye model of headgear in navy.

Mrs. John Abbott, whose husband was "ushering," looked charming in black and white. Her frock reminded me of a draught board with its black and white diamonds, and looked most chic. Mrs. Stuffy Mitchell also wore black with a most glorious spray of gardenias at the throat. So attired also was Mrs. Cyril Brown who, when she removed her coat, showed one of those most fashionable tight-waisted full-pleated and flair-skirted models which I eyed with much envy.

WITTY SPEECHES

Much laughter was aroused by the witty speeches made by Mr.

Valentine, the bridegroom himself, and Mr. B. M. Bateman, the best man. Champagne flowed and the beautiful two-tiered cake was cut, and everyone chatted happily.

Mrs. Gruning in black with a most amusing hat which sported two balls of brown fur, was talking to Mrs. Dowbiggin when I passed by; the latter was dressed in navy and had feather quills in her hat.

Mrs. Diana Dodwell chose an unusual and attractive toning of colours. A deep french blue frock set off the brick rust hat, bag and shoes. One of the new ideas, this I'm sure.

A terrific burst of crackers coming from one gigantic fifty foot string told us that the bride and bridegroom were about to sneak away, so armed with confetti, everyone watched the stairs with lynx-eyes. The bride looked most charming in a greeny blue frock and wore wine accessories, her hat being funnel shaped and made of velvet.

The ceremony was over and it only remained to drink their health again and wander off home, all saying how pretty a wedding it had been.

LADY CLARK KERR STARTS FUND

CHUNGKING, Jan. 26 (Central)—Lady Clark Kerr, wife of the British Ambassador to China has donated \$500 as foundation fund for the establishment of a library for refugee children in Shanghai, according to a report from that city.

The library is to be established under the auspices of the Refugee Education Committee formed by the Chinese Employees Association of the Shanghai Municipal Council.

AT THE FANLING RACE MEETING



PICTURE TAKEN in between races at the Fanling Race meeting at Kwai Tsing last Sunday afternoon. (Photo by Leika).

NEWSETTES

H.M.S. Tarantula and H.M.S. Robin have arrived in Hongkong from Canton.

The Hongkong Amateur Dramatic Club will produce "The Shining Hour" at the China Fleet Club Theatre on March 22, 23, 24 and 25.

Major R. Robertson has resigned as honorary secretary of the United Services Recreation Club. He is succeeded by Major F. T. Baines.

About 150 entries have been received for the Sailors' and Soldiers' Camera Club Photographic Exhibition on February 1, 2, 3 and 4.

The Central British Association is holding a novel "Red Dog" party at their new clubhouse in King's Park on Saturday evening, commencing at 9 p.m. The proceedings will be in real "western" style, as in the old "saloon" days.

Among the passengers on board the s.s. "Gneisenau" arriving here yesterday was Herr Franz Ferring, new Attaché to the German Consulate-General here. Herr Ferring was stationed, for the last two years, in Paris, with the German Embassy, from where he was transferred here at the end of last year.

CHAUFFEUR'S 5 WEDDINGS

"Polygamist By Profession"

Patrick O'Brien, 41, chauffeur, described by counsel as a "professional polygamist" and said to have a sinister influence over women, pleaded guilty at the Old Bailey recently to charges of bigamy and theft, and was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment.

Mr. Laurence Vane, prosecuting, said that since 1927 O'Brien had participated in a total of five marriage ceremonies, four of which were in London churches. Two of the marriages had been dissolved and he had a previous conviction for bigamy.

On Sept. 7, continued Mr. Vane, O'Brien bigamously married Miss Gladys Kathleen Thompson at Bury St. Edmunds register office. He also stole a ring from her.

PREYED ON SERVANTS

O'Brien told Miss Thompson that he was a "chauffeur to Lord Howard," and obtained the ring by saying he wanted it to take to a jeweller to be measured for an engagement ring.

Since his last discharge from prison he had been unemployed. He apparently preyed on women of the domestic servant class.

A detective said that O'Brien had proposed marriage to one woman and the banns were published, but as there was no money to pay the fees they merely lived together.

The officer added that Miss Thompson was going to have a baby at the end of March. She had a little money in the bank, and O'Brien persuaded her to withdraw it and hand it over to him.

Sir Richmond Palmer, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Cyprus, will leave the Colony on April 20, on his retirement from the public service, it was officially announced.

FRIDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Stewed Pears
Cereal
French Toast
Jam and Coffee

LUNCHEON

Noodle Soup
Avocado and Grapefruit Salad
Chicken a la King
Creamed Carrots and Peas
Sweet Potato Pie
Caramel Custard
Tea

DINNER

Barley Soup
Cabbage Relish Salad
Individual Oyster Pies
Stewed Corn
Buttered Lima Beans
Popovers
Pineapple Bavarian Cream
Coffee

Round About

A formal afternoon wedding was taking place. The bride in the proverbial white satin and veil stood beside the groom in formal afternoon attire, many friends clothed in silks, satins, and furs gathered in the church to attend the ceremony.

All was quiet except for the voice of the religious official who prayed for the young couple waiting to be married.

But all was not well outside the church. Several young men of the wedding party were suppressing shrieks of laughter as they painted in white paint on a high silk hat, the words, "I have just been married!"

The wedding ceremony is over, out walk the couple, they pose for pictures and receive congratulations of friends. A motor waits to take them to a hotel for the reception. The groom helps the bride into the car, turning he grabs his hat from one of his attendants, and places it on his head. The bride bursts into laughter, other people standing beside the vehicle smile, the groom smiles.

Everyone including the new wife, are good sports, nothing is said about the hat. And still the groom continues to smile as he enters the hotel lobby with high silk hat white paint and all!

FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The following forthcoming marriages are announced:—

Mr. Ernest Bruce, master mariner, of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire, and Miss Margaret Arthur Ross, of "Kinnaird," Torphins, Scotland;—

Mr. Tang Chi-wan, teacher, of No. 19, Connaught Road West, and Miss Chan Lai-hing, teacher, of the same address;—

Mr. Kiang Pao-lin, marine officer, of No. 3 Jordan Road, 2nd floor, and Miss Sha Zah-zong, of No. 778 Nathan Road, ground floor.

WEDDING AT REGISTRY

Miss Wong Mun-ching, teacher, of No. 461 Reclamation Street, was yesterday married at the Registry, Supreme Court, to Mr. Li Chen-le, teacher, of No. 120 Tung Choi Street. Mr. T. J. Gould, Deputy Registrar of Marriages, conducted the ceremony, and the witnesses were Mr. Lau Shiu-shing and Mrs. Tang Yun-sang.

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| | Everybody's doing it—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| 28694 | Oh! how I hate to get up in the morning—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| 28610 | What'll I do—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| | Change Partners—f.t. | Larry Clinton and his orchestra |
| 28615 | The Yam—f.t. | Joseph Rines and his orchestra |
| 28666 | Lambeth walk—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| 28686 | All Through the night—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| 28699 | Music Maestro Please—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| 28699 | As long as you live—f.t. | Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra |
| 28699 | A-tisket-a-tasket—f.t. | Benny Goodman Quartet |
| 28699 | Moonglow—f.t. | Benny Goodman Quartet |
| 28473 | My melancholy baby—f.t. | Benny Goodman Quartet |
| 42824 | Sweet Sue, just you—f.t. | Ozzie Nelson and his orchestra |
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| | Meet the beat of my heart—f.t. | Ozzie Nelson and his orchestra |

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(Comedians)

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Doreen Ma (Pianist)

Mrs. Waldon (Soprano)

Mr. A. R. Colquhoun

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WATER WORKS ORDINANCE

New Regulations Explained

THE FOLLOWING IS AN official notice issued by the Water Authority, touching upon the new Waterworks Ordinance which came into force this year, dealing with the chargeable water and motor accounts:

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SUMMARY COURT CLAIM

Auto Parts Deal

The sum of \$248.29 formed the subject of a claim instituted by K. Weiss against the "Ah Cheung Auto Parts Supply Company, of No. 15, Stewart Road, before Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell in the Supreme Court yesterday.

Mr. C. Y. Kwan appeared for plaintiff and Mr. F. H. Loseby was for the defendants.

Mr. Kwan stated that the claim was for balance due his client on goods ordered and delivered. A definite issue had been agreed between Mr. Loseby and himself as to whether the goods had or had not been delivered. If they were, Mr. Kwan submitted that plaintiff was entitled to judgment.

The goods, continued Mr. Kwan, were ordered by a contract dated November 2, 1937. They arrived by the s.s. Conte Rosso on June 7, 1938, were stored in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, and taken out and delivered to defendants on June 14.

Mr. John Robertson, of the Godown Company, testified that the goods had been taken delivery of from the godowns in the usual manner on the date mentioned.

BOY'S EVIDENCE

Chan Sung, office boy employed by Mr. Weiss, also gave evidence of taking delivery of two cases of goods from the godowns and handing them over to Chu Yam-cheong, one of two partners of defendant firm.

Plaintiff said in evidence that defendants had paid \$40 as deposit against their order. He had informed defendants when the goods arrived, to take delivery and make payment, but defendants asked him for time to pay. He had no reason to doubt that the goods had been delivered to defendants.

When defendants failed to make payment within the time agreed on, a demand in writing was made, and it was then that he first heard that defendants had not received the goods.

KILUNG STREET STABBING

Murder Charge Amended

Committal proceedings against Chan Ming, alias Tai Tau Ming, alias Fei Tsai Ming, 24, on a charge of having at Kilung Street on October 28, unlawfully and maliciously wounded Leung Yim, were commenced before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday. The charge was amended from one of attempted murder. Det-Insp. A. E. Carey prosecuted, and Mr. M. A. da Silva appearing for the defendant.

Giving an outline of the case, Insp. Carey stated that the story centred about an 18-year-old girl, Wong Sau-ying, who lived with her adopted mother at an address in Hollywood Road, where a man named Ho Wah occupied bed space.

Wong and Ho took a liking to each other and on October 11, a Wong stated in her evidence, the two took up lodgings at an address in Kweilin Street where they lived as man and wife.

JOB IN DIVAN

Ho had no employment, and he sent out Wong to find a job, she eventually obtaining employment from a man named Tang Ping who kept an opium divan in Kilung Street. At the opium divan, Wong met Leung Yim who, after being acquainted with her some two or three days, began to take her with him on visits to restaurants and mahjong shops.

On October 28, in Kilung Street Leung Yim was stabbed in the chest when two other men were also stabbed in the back by unknown assailants. The prosecution would produce witnesses who would testify to overhearing conversations between various parties that would serve to connect the defendant with the assault on Leung Yim.

Mr. H. T. Bee, of the Kowloon Hospital, gave evidence of the serious condition Leung was in when he was brought to hospital after the stabbing. Evidence was also taken from Wong Sau-ying and other witnesses, after which further hearing was adjourned to a later date.

Chan Ming was arrested on information in Wanchai on January 10.

MASTER CREW ARE SAFE

Kaipoi Founders Outside Bay

Telegraphic confirmation that the freighter, Kaipoi, had founded outside Wenchow Bay was received by Messrs. Wallen and Company, the ship's owners, yesterday.

The vessel was on her way from Shanghai to Ningpo carrying a cargo of coal, and was commanded by Captain Olsen. The crew are safe and are now on their way to Shanghai.

The Kaipoi, built in Sunderland in 1908, was of a gross tonnage of 2,003 tons, and was formerly owned by Messrs. Williamson and Company, of Hongkong. It went aground last July in a heavy fog in the Hainan Straits, but was refloated with the tide.

Lau Sheung-ho, an employee of the Mercantile Bank of India Ltd., also gave evidence of a bill of exchange drawn by the manufacturers on the defendant firm in respect of the transaction. The bill was accepted by defendants, but when on due date they were asked to pay they informed the Bank that they had made payment to plaintiff.

The case was adjourned to March 6.

SOLDIER UNABLE TO PAY FINE

Prison Term The Alternative

PTE. LEWIS BRADY, of the 1st Bn., The Middlesex Regt., was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with hard labour when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court yesterday to two charges of assault on a mess boy at Hau Chuen, near Lo Wu Camp, after midnight of January 20, and of behaving in a disorderly manner on the same occasion.

Acting Sub-Insp. Byron told the Court that Yeung Hing, the complainant, and several other boys were playing mahjong in a hut at Hau Chuen, by Lo Wu Camp, when defendant and another soldier entered and behaved rudely towards them.

Yeung attempted to push defendant out of the hut, whereupon the latter hit him in the face with a piece of a broken earthenware jar, causing a cut on his cheek bone.

Defendant then ran away, but chase was given by the boys and he was caught. Yeung was treated by a doctor at the camp and it was found that the injury to his face was not serious, although it might have been so if defendant had used more force. (Yeung appeared in Court yesterday with his face bandaged up).

The prosecution asked the Court to view the case seriously, as the assault was unprovoked.

"HALF A BUCKET"

Asked by the Magistrate as to his reason for the assault, defendant stated that he left camp at 10.30 p.m. and he had consumed "a half bucket of beer." He did not remember anything that had happened previous to his awakening in the guardroom on the following morning.

Capt. M. A. Jacob, of the Middlesex Regt., told the Court that defendant was unable to pay a fine of \$40 and \$10 amends to complainant, as he was already in debt, and the fine could not be deducted from his monthly pay.

TOLL OF THE ROAD

Weekly Accidents Returns

In the Colony of Hongkong including the Island, Kowloon and the New Territories during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, January 21, there were altogether 78 traffic accidents as the result of which five persons were killed and 43 persons were injured.

Of the persons killed, a Chinese boy, age 9, and a Chinese female, age 61, were knocked down and killed by a motor bus and a motor lorry respectively whilst running across the road.

A Chinese female, age 58, was knocked down by a tramcar whilst walking across the road. She subsequently died from injuries received.

A British soldier, age 24, and a Chinese female, age 21, died from injuries received when their car overturned.

Of persons injured, 25 were pedestrians, who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

Two bicycle riders, a tricycle rider and a motor cyclist were injured as the result of collisions between vehicles. Four private car passengers were injured when their car overturned. A bicycle rider, a lorry passenger and a taxi passenger were injured on falling from their vehicles.

Five tram passengers and two bus passengers were injured while alighting from moving trams and moving buses respectively.

Of the 78 accidents, 30 were collisions between vehicles; 31 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians; 17 accidents were due to other causes.

TYPE OF VEHICLES INVOLVED

Private motor car (26), Motor lorry (20), Motor bus (5), Motor cycle (1), Public motor car (10), Tramcar (9), Tricycle (1), Ambulance (1), Bicycle (1), Ricksha (4).

Convictions were registered against defendant on both charges, and in default of the fine a prison sentence was imposed.

CHIEF JUSTICE QUASHES COURT CONVICTION

AN APPEAL BY KWOK CHEUK-HIM, manager of the Yau A Shing firm, against his conviction in respect of a charge of receiving stolen articles was allowed by His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, in the Court of Appeal yesterday.

Appellant was convicted and fined \$300 or, in default, three months' hard labour, by Mr. T. J. Houston in the Central Court on December 14 last on charge of receiving a quantity of cutlery bearing the name "Jimmy" on the handles, such goods proving to be the missing articles from a consignment ordered by Jimmy's Kitchen through Messrs. John D. Hutchison and Company.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for appellant, and Mr. J. B. Prentis, Assistant Crown Solicitor, was for the Crown.

THEFT NOT PROVED

Mr. Silva submitted that the theft had not been proved by the prosecution. Appellant, he said, had openly entered into a transaction to purchase the goods and did not know that they were stolen property nor had he any suspicion before the name on the handle.

COURT MARTIAL SENTENCE

Signal-man F. N. Gordon of the Hongkong Signal Coy., Royal Corps of Signals, has been sentenced to 14 days' detention and ordered to pay the costs of damage to two cars as a result of a Court Martial held last week.

Gordon pleaded guilty to improperly taking and using two Austin cars of the Hongkong Signal Company on New Year's Day and causing damage to them estimated at £5. 6s. 8d. and £45. 13s. respectively, besides losing various tools.

EIGHTH VISIT TO COLONY

Emp. Of Britain Due In March

The Empress of Britain, making her eighth round-the-world trip, will arrive in Hongkong early in March.

The Empress of Britain left New York on January 7, arrives at Beirut to-morrow and Port Said on Saturday. She will start her first journey through the Canal on February 3.

From there she will call at Bombay, Colombo, Penang, Singapore and Bangkok, finally arriving in Hongkong on March 8.

The Empress of Britain will leave here on March 11 and proceed to New York via the Philippine Islands, Bali, Java, South Africa, St. Helena, Brazil, Trinidad, and Cuba.

Calls will not be made at Shanghai or Japanese ports.

The s.s. Franconia will also call here during her round-the-world trip on March 30.

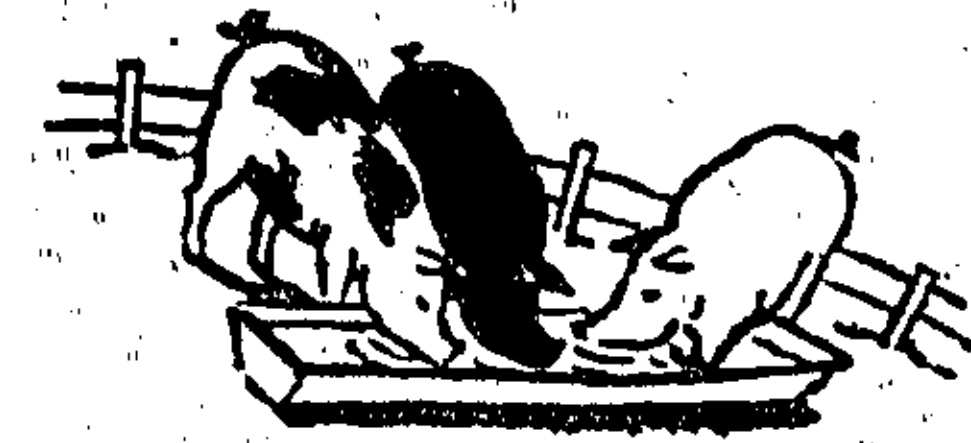
ROBBERY CASE REMANDED

Appearing before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday, Tsang On, 18, who was charged with robbery, was remanded for 48 hours on the application of Detective Sub-Inspector W. N. Darkin. It was alleged that defendant, with two others, not in custody, entered a hut on Holy Cross Path, Shaikwan, and escaped with money and jewellery valued at several hundred dollars.

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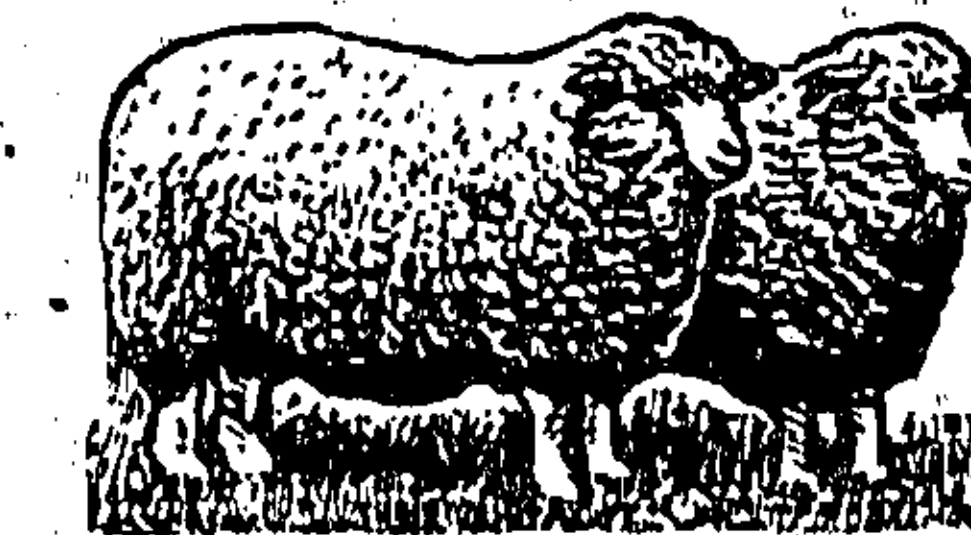
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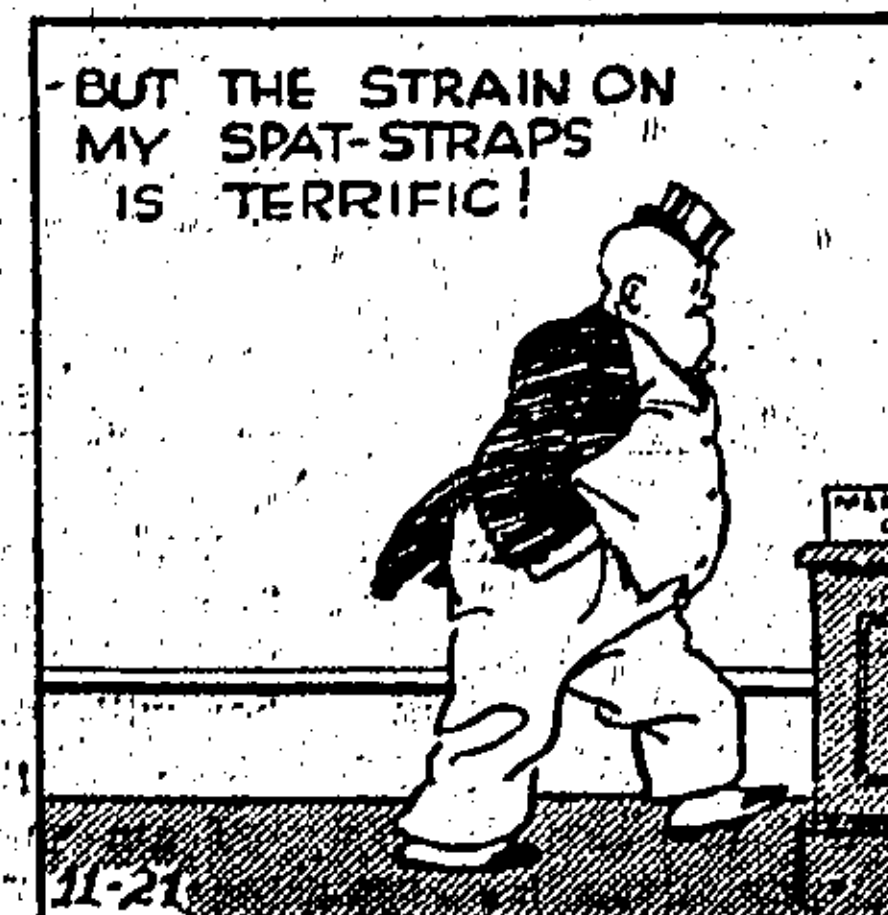
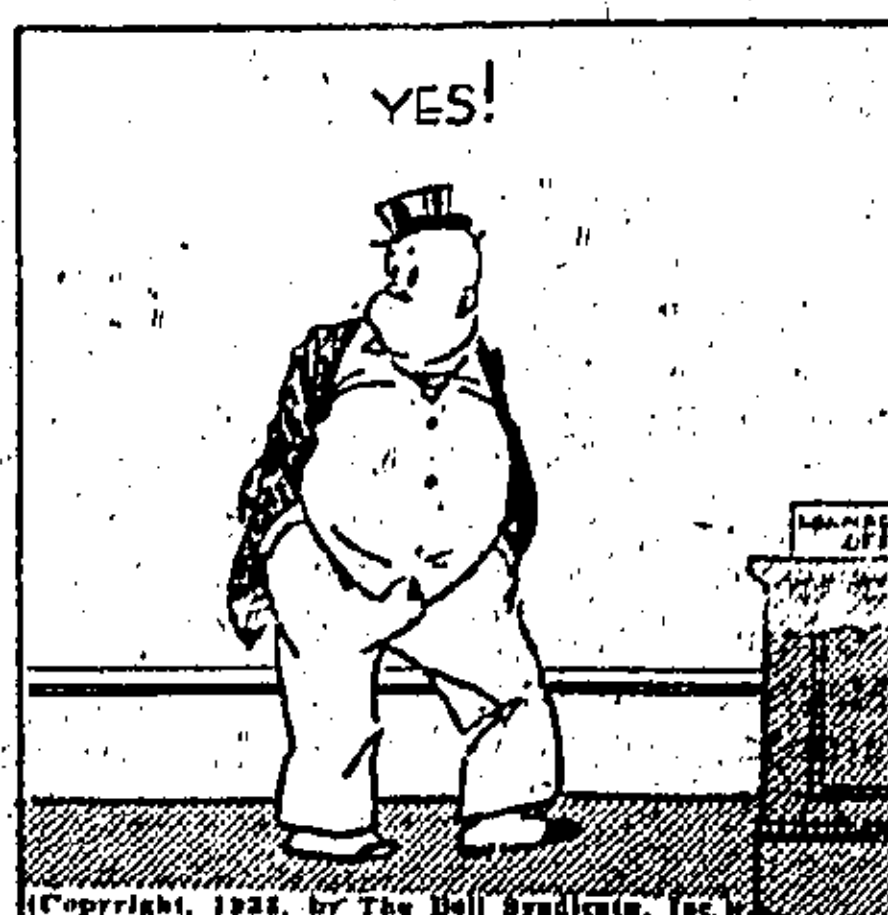
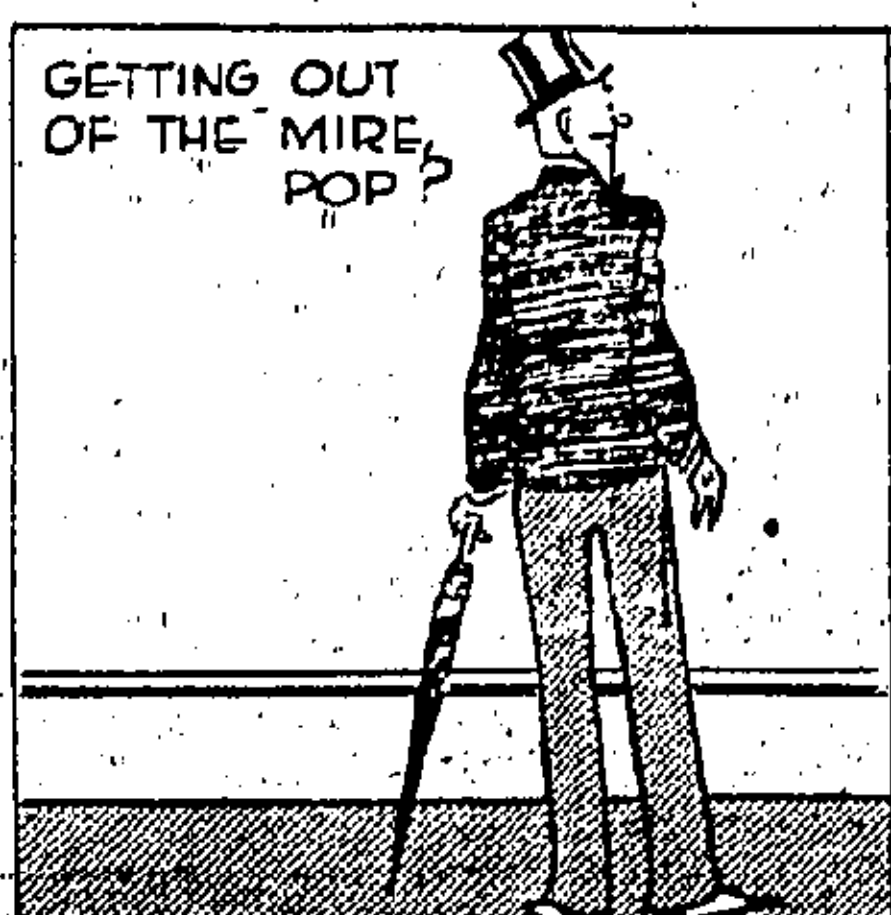
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R. M. HENDERSON,
Water Authority.

Public Works Department,
Hong Kong, 26th Jan., 1939.

HONG KONG TRAMWAYS, LIMITED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY GENERAL MEETING OF HONG KONG TRAMWAYS, LIMITED will be held at the offices of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Hong Kong, on FRIDAY, the 17th day of February, 1939, at 12 o'clock noon, to transact the ordinary business of the Company.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER OF MEMBERS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 3rd to FRIDAY, the 17th February, 1939, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board
W. F. SIMMONS,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 25th Jan., 1939.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

PROPOSAL TO CHANGE A SHIP'S NAME

I, Cheuk Man Sin of 314, Des Voeux Road, Central hereby give notice that in consequence of change of ownership I have applied to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, in respect of the ship "WAH SING TON" formerly of Hong Kong, Official No. 154039 of gross 30.18 tons, reg. 13.58 tons, heretofore owned by Cheng Yu Wan of No. 332 Canton Road, 1st floor, Kowloon under the name "YEW HING", for permission to change her name to "YEW HING" and to have her registered in the new name at the Port of Hong Kong as owned by me.

Any objection to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hong Kong within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement. Dated 26th Jan., 1939.

(Signed) CHEUK MAN SIN.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE

Mr. V. G. BOWDEN, Australian Government Trade Commissioner in China, will arrive in Hong Kong on the 30th inst. for a short visit and will be glad if parties desiring to consult him in connection with Australian Trade will communicate with him c/o Mr. S. T. Williamson, 5th Floor P. & O. Building.

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Certificate No. 8768 dated Hongkong, 30th January, 1924 for—392—shares of this Company, numbered 181285/181676 inclusive, registered in the name of Lee Hsian (dec'd) has been Lost or Destroyed, and should this certificate not be produced to the Company before the 30th January 1939, a new certificate for the shares will be issued, and the aforesaid Certificate No. 8768 will be thereafter treated by this Company as Null and Void.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
R. A. WICKERSON,
Secretary and Manager.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 30th day of Jan., 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Grampian Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Acres	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2850	ft. ft. ft. ft.	9.000	9.000	4,800
2	Opposite New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1838	ft. ft. ft. ft.	9.000	9.000	4,800

SHANGHAI LADY WINS SWEEP

\$2,000 Donated To Relief Fund

It was revealed yesterday that the winner of the first prize in the Relief Cup sweepstakes, run at the Fanling races last Sunday, is Mrs. Yau Loo-kwong, a well-to-do recent arrival from Shanghai who has, since she came to the Colony, been an active worker on behalf of the National Women's Relief Association.

The ticket, No. 26992, drew \$20,289.15, and it is understood that Mrs. Yau has donated \$2,000 in National Currency to the Kwangsi Relief Fund.

YOUTH MISSING

John Rew, 16 years old, who was reported to have been missing from the St. Louis Industrial Home at West Point since Monday, had still not been heard of up to a late hour last night.

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NEW AIR PACT

GRATIFICATION will be widespread over the announcement from Chungking that an agreement has been signed by the British and Chinese Governments, and that Notes have been exchanged, relative to the inauguration of the new air services of the Imperial Airways and the China National Aviation Corporation. The text of the accord, it is understood, will, for obvious reasons, not be made public for the present.

THE NEW PACT will be especially welcomed in Hongkong because it relates to the Colony's air services and will link Hongkong with Burma and Yunnan. For the first time, foreign aeroplanes will, with the permission of the Chinese Government, fly over the territory of free China. Similarly, Chinese machines will be allowed to fly to Burma and Hongkong. So far as this Colony is concerned, the flight of Chinese planes to Hongkong is by no means an innovation, since they have been calling here on and off for many months past.

FURTHER REASON for gratification is the news that negotiations afoot for through air mail and passenger traffic between China and Soviet Russia are nearing conclusion.

DR. H. H. KUNG, President of the Chinese Executive Yuan and Minister of Finance, rightly described the new Sino-British undertaking as being of great significance. In a few words, he outlined a long period of history and said that the new arrangement will bring the Chinese and British peoples closer together and result in a better understanding, which is essential for peace and prosperity among nations.

IT IS GENERALLY conceded that the terrain over which the planes will have to fly to Yunnan and vice versa is among the most difficult in the world but this should not deter the Imperial Airways and the C.N.A.C., who are fully determined to introduce and maintain a highly efficient service, such as the public has come to expect of them.

GREAT BRITAIN has always said she would invest capital in China on a commercial basis, on condition that each enterprise would be taken on its own merits from a commercial point of view. This is an absolute departure from the old system of political loans and diametrically opposed to the thesis of the Japanese that foreign capital can only be safely invested in regions of China where they have a certain amount of political control. Prior to the Sino-Japanese War, negotiations between groups of Chinese and British firms, commercial and financial, had progressed sufficiently to disclose unanimity in important points of detail.

THE PRESENT contract involves a tripartite arrangement. Chinese, British and American capital are involved and the interests of these groups will naturally be respected. This is significant in noting the coincidence of those interests. The question arises: "Is this a breakdown of the old-fashioned consortium system under the terms of which the consent of Japan had to be obtained before financial assistance could be accorded to China?" In May, 1934, after the Mukden Incident, Japan reiterated her stand that no financial aid should be given to China save with her consent.

THIS WARNING is now being totally ignored. The closing of the Open Door by Japan and her abrogation of the Nine-Power Pact has been the direct cause of this and the resultant conclusion of the very important agreement which was announced in Chungking on Wednesday.

POSITION IN SPAIN

LONDON, Jan. 25 (Reuter).—The position in Spain, and international affairs generally will be debated when the House of Commons re-assembles on January 31.

The business provisionally earmarked for the day has been postponed.

CORRESPONDENCE

IMPERIAL AIRWAYS

[To the Editor, The "Hongkong Daily Press"]

Sir,—Will you grant me a few lines in your valuable columns to voice a complaint regarding the Imperial Airways? Your admirable editorial of January 24 in praise of the British air-line has prompted me to write these words. I can well understand that all precautions must be taken to safeguard the passengers, the crews, the planes and the luggage on board the planes but there is one thing which I fail to understand. And that is:—Yesterday Imperial Airways planes arrived at Hanol at four o'clock in the afternoon but did not arrive here until the following morning. This results in passengers being held up for a night at Hanol at extra cost and air-mails to be delayed for at least twelve hours. Can anybody tell me why this should be the case?

I can well understand the safety-first precautions but can anybody tell me why if planes of other commercial air lines can make night landings in Hongkong, the Imperial Airways cannot do the same? I remember the time when similar conditions in Europe existed. It took the Germans to start the ball rolling by making night flights. Can't the Imperial Airways make night flights?

DELETED.

Hongkong, January 26.

AIR MAILS

Air France's plane arrived yesterday noon from Hanol with mail and passengers. The return southern flight will be made from Kai Tak to-morrow at 6.30 a.m.

Pan American Airways' Philippine Clipper is reported due in Hongkong at noon on Saturday. The return flight will leave Kai Tak at approximately 8.30 a.m. on Sunday.

"Delphinus," the Imperial Airways plane from Bangkok arrived in Hongkong at noon yesterday. Due to a late departure from Bangkok the plane made an overnight stop in Hanol. Mail from Europe was 499 kilos and 157 kilos from Australia and Malaya.

The Delphinus left Kai Tak at 7.30 a.m. to-day for Bangkok with mail and one passenger. The week-end service schedule:

CAMERA AWARDS ANNOUNCED

Annual Exhibition. At S. & S. Home

The 253 entries received in the three sections of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home Camera Club Annual Exhibition were judged last evening and awards allotted as follows:—

SECTION A

1st, Evening (E. L. Taverner), 2nd, A Poor Man (Lo Ka Ki), 3rd, The Young Sailor (W. C. Clark), 4th, On the way home (Danny Yau), 5th, Shopping (C. Gaskin), 6th, Portrait Study (Wong Loo Sun), Hon. mention—Muddy Road (H. K. Lu), Smiths (Yau Hok-kan), Lonsome trail (H. K. Lu), Sunny branches (Wong Loo Sun).

SECTION B

1st, Lengthening shadows (C. Gaskin), 2nd, On top of the world (E. de V. Hunt), 3rd, Still Life (A. G. Mackenzie-Kennedy), 4th, Andrey (M. Mitchell), 5th, The Clearing (S. J. Culpitt), 6th, Sea Urchin (N. Hildersley), Hon. mention—Patrol (J. F. Gregory), Two Alone (A. J. Gibbons), Reflections (J. W. Robson).

SECTION C

1st, Disciple of Buddha (J. W. Robson), 2nd, Street Cobbler (F. Connor), 3rd, Nature's framework (J. P. Gregory), 4th, Mountain prospect (E. W. Fielding), 5th, Timbers (W. J. Young).

The Judges commented on the very high standard of work in all sections, particular mention being made of the quality of Section A, for which 159 pictures were submitted.

Catalogues will be forwarded to all Exhibitors prior to the opening of the Exhibition on February 1st, at 5.15 p.m. The pictures will be on show in the Assembly Hall of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home, 22, Hennessy Road between 5.15 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. from Wednesday to Saturday, February 1 to 4, inclusive and the Exhibition is worthy of a visit by anyone interested in Camera Craft.

Entrance to the Exhibition is free to all visitors and exhibitors.

to arrive to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon is on time and will land at Kai Tak between 4 and 5 o'clock.

MUSKETRY AWARDS FOR H.K. POLICE OFFICERS

Many Successes Gained By Acting P.S. Perkins

The presentation of musketry and revolver championship trophies and life saving awards by the Commissioner of Police (Hon. Mr. T. H. King) took place at the Central Police Station compound yesterday afternoon. The men paraded under Mr. C. G. Perdue, Deputy Commissioner of Police.

In the course of his speech prior to the presentation, the Commissioner of Police remarked that a special word of praise went to Acting Police Sergeant Perkins who won the European Musketry and Revolver Championships, securing a possible in the Musketry course. He also won the Stubbs Cup and the Handicap Cup for Revolver shooting.

"In fact," added Mr. King, "1938 might be dubbed a Perkins Benefit year."

The Commissioner continued: "It may be that Sgt. Perkins has had more opportunity for practice than other police officers, but he has devoted great application and keenness in addition. It is very satisfactory that there are 82 European marksmen for 1938—a considerable increase over previous years but the 1933 figure of 91 has yet to be beaten."

BIG INCREASE
In the Indian contingent there are 128 marksmen—a considerable increase. That is to the good. But there were 205 second class shots and 28 failures. I want to see all those men promote themselves, at the next Musketry course, to first class shots or even to marksmen.

The Weihaiwei contingent showed improvement in Musketry but there were still 87 second class shots. I hope also that that number will be considerably reduced at the next course.

I notice that the Chinese Revolver Championship has been won by a Weihaiwei police constable during the last three years. I want the Cantonese police to determine that one of their number will win it this year.

LIFE SAVING
I am very glad to see the increased interest in life saving courses. During 1938, 32 Inter-

mediate certificates and bronze medals were gained. In previous years the number has never exceeded 20. The increase is largely due to recruits in the Training School volunteering for this training.

During the year P. S. Baboo Khan obtained an Award of Merit. I congratulate him on this distinction. He has been a Life Saving Instructor to the Police for several years and I commend him for his zeal and efficiency. I congratulate also I. P. S. B. 15 Chanchai Singh on obtaining a 1st Class Instructor's Certificate. As yet we have no qualified Chinese Police Instructors.

PRIZE LIST
The results of the Musketry and Revolver Competitions for 1938 are as follows:—

RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIPS
Europeans:—Winner—A. P. S. Perkins; Runner-up—C. I. Booker. Indians:—Winner—L. S. Gurbashi Singh; Runner-up—Cpl. Purnan Singh. Weihaiwei:—Winner—P. C. Lu Pao Sing.

REVOLVER COMPETITIONS
Europeans:—Winner—A. P. S. Perkins; Runner-up—A. P. S. A. G. Channing.

The Stubbs Cup:—Winner—A. P. S. Perkins.
Handicap Cup:—Winner—A. P. S. Perkins; Runner-up—L. S. Taylor.
Indian Revolver Championship:—Winner—Cpl. Maghar Singh; Runner-up—Cpl. Naranjan Singh.
Non-Instructor's Prize:—F. C. Sher Singh.

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THE SHUMCHUN RURAL WELFARE CENTRE

Text Of Mr. Percy Chen's Address To Y's Men's Club

The following is the first part of the text of the talk on the Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre delivered by Mr. Percy Chen, Director of the Centre, to the Y's Men's Club at its weekly tiffin yesterday:—

"The Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre aims at encouraging the organization of work among the Chinese peasants who have suffered or been forced to leave their land by the invasion of the Japanese. Its method of work is aimed at maintaining the spirit and self-respect of the peasant in his adversity, in directing his labour in such a way that the periodic raids of the Japanese into his district will cause him the least amount of injury and loss.

"This work is part of the great Chinese National movement for self dependence. Ideologically it is bound up in the thesis of the Generalissimo when he launched his People's Economic Reconstruction Movement. Practically it will enable assistance to be given direct to the basic element of our population, the farmer, to return to 'the Good Earth'."

"Usually social work prevalent in these parts and known as the type of 'looking after the welfare of destitutes and prostitutes,' takes no account of the self-respect of these people. It is assumed that they already have none.

"In the case of refugee farmers, the majority of whom are hard-working, honest, and straightforward, it is a great misfortune to them to have to be dependent upon the charity of strangers even of



GROUP PHOTOGRAPH taken at the Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre.

their own race. It is almost a disgrace to be concentrated into compounds from which they are not allowed to go out, and in many cases where they had to fight for their foodlike beasts.

"The problem of the refugee farmers in the East River area is no passing problem. It will be with us for the duration of these hostilities and maybe during further hostilities which this suffering world will have to endure. Funds which are being devoted to the 'drain pipe' policy of refugee relief will come to an end.

"And by that time the very farmers, now honest, straightforward and toll-loving, will have degenerated with his womenfolk in the category of 'destitutes and prostitutes.' And China will have lost so many good sons and daughters, the reclaiming of whom will cost her endless time and treasure after the war.

AIMS TO BE ACHIEVED
The aims set out are to be achieved by the following methods:—

"1. Educational Work among the farmers based on the San Min Chu I, modern agricultural technique, hygiene, and Youth Training.

"2. (a) Agricultural Assistance work among the farmers based on co-operative farming system for facilities in obtaining seeds, fertilizers, implements and live stock. (b) Agricultural Experimental Farms on a co-operative basis for the improvement of seeds, and live stock, and the training of personnel for supplying the needs of agriculture in South China.

"3. Rural Industrial work among the farmers based on the Industrial Co-operative system for converting agricultural products into marketable consumer commodities and the manufacture of fertilizer and improved farm implements.

"4. Medical work among the farmers based on the practice of Western and Chinese medicine, and training personnel in elementary hygiene and first aid from the ranks of the farmers.

"5. A system of investigation and inspection among the farmers based on the methods of planned economy utilizing personnel recruited from the ranks of the farmers.

EAST RIVER AREA
"At the height of the hostilities in which the East River area of Kwangtung was affected a few

"More than three months have elapsed since the invasion of the areas and reports reaching us indicate that the economic life of the area is still at a standstill.

"Actual investigation not far from Shumchun, in an area which can be considered safe, has given the following picture: 'In a village of formerly 1,200 persons there were 700 head of live stock, mostly cattle and buffaloes. To-day there are only 60 head.

"Losses were from the Japanese looters, and sales by the farmers when they needed money to support themselves in the Leased Territories. At that village I found only five families engaged in the manufacture of cold munire for the Spring Sowing. And when one realizes that the Chinese farmer can only work a piece of land proportionate to the amount he is able to manure, it can readily be seen that the prospects of that village (close to safety though it may be) is not a bright one.

"In that locality there are 4,000 mow of land under sugar cane. The families have got together and have started three native sugar mills. The capacity is small and at the present rate of manufacture it is physically impossible for the sugar harvest to be ground. In other localities the farmers are without native mills and the sugar cane is being used for fuel. A survey of the fields in one district revealed that a large percentage has not yet been flooded for ploughing. Questioned, a farmer replied that there are no implements in his village. In another village I found over thirty water wheels stacked in the ancestral temple.

"Are you going to plant this Spring? is a question which brings the reply, I do not know, and if I was going to I have no buffalo with which to plough."

"Hopelessness is a disease that will undermine even the strongest. It is necessary to set an example which the host will follow. But the example must show the way to live and not the way to die. For this reason the Shumchun Rural Welfare Centre has been organized to direct the farmers back to the 'Good Earth.' By helping even a small percentage of the refugee farmers we shall be able to show the way in which the farmers may help themselves."

(The concluding part of this address will appear to-morrow.)

RIFLE SHOOTING

DELIGHTFUL CONDITIONS ON WEDNESDAY

Captain Mackenzie-Kennedy's Good Score Second Time Out

Delightful conditions were met with by members attending the Spoon and Practice Shoot on Wednesday, though an occasional puff of wind threw a shot off at the long ranges. As pre-arranged the S.R. (b) were given an opportunity of firing eleven rounds at the long ranges namely 600, 700 and 800 yards and some good scores were recorded.

P. O. Swan won the Nett Spoon with the best score at 800 yards from E.R.A. Thorpe and Marine Heather. The winner was unlucky not to register a possible at 800 yards dropping into an inner with his fourth counting shot. The Handicap Spoon went to Cpl. Cole of R.N. Staff, and Sgt. Wong and Insp. Lole of H.K. Police Reserve with creditable performances considering it was the first time they had fired at this distance.

Mention must also be made of Captain Mackenzie-Kennedy, who, on his second time out with the "1914," put up a good score in spite of a slight falling off at 800 yards.

The S.R. (a) members fired on "B" Range and a dozen members from the R.A.F. attended. It is hoped that they will continue to attend in such or even larger numbers. Eleven shots were fired and Cpl. Morris of the Royal Scots carried off the Nett Spoon with a very fine 130.

CHINESE POLICE RESERVE

The Chinese Police Reserve were again to the fore, L.S. Pan and Sgt. Wong taking the Handicap Spoon, the remaining one going to Sgt. Kane of the Royal Scots.

As is customary of the Association to present a special prize to a new club on joining.

LEADING SCORES

The following are the leading scores:—						
	S.R. (b)	H'cap	600 yds.	700 yds.	800 yds.	Total
P.O. J. C. Swan	Scr.	44	44	49	137	
E.R.A. J. R. Thorpe		45	46	46	137	
Mme. P. G. Heather	1	44	48	45	137	
Cpl. F. Cole	3	41	48	47	136	
E.A. H. J. Templeton	Scr.	44	47	41	132	
S.I. C. C. Chau		44	43	43	130	
P/Sgt. A. C. Chan	4	42	42	45	129	
Lieut. A. J. Le Seclieur	1	48	43	38	129	
L.S. K. C. Hoo	4	42	41	45	128	
Sgt. K. C. Wong	7	41	46	40	127	
Inspector D. Lole	5	43	44	40	127	
Capt. A. G. MacKenzie-Kennedy	NIL	44	47	36	127	
Pte. V. M. Hammond	3	37	46	43	126	
P.O. D. J. Silcock	Scr.	38	46	42	126	
E.R.A. H. S. Stephens	NIL	43	41	41	125	
S. Sgt. N. Dumville	3	44	40	41	125	
E.R.A. L. G. Keller	Scr.	42	42	40	124	
Sgt. R. J. Heap	2	44	43	34	121	
P/Sgt. P. H. Thong	3	34	42	42	118	
Mr. L. A. Anning	9	41	33	41	115	
C.S.M. F. Stanford	6	36	43	33	112	
S. Sgt. R. A. Neale	5	41	36	34	111	
A.B. F. G. Corder	4	39	41	31	111	
L/Cpl. W. Henderson	4	35	37	37	109	
Capt. F. Sale	8	40	37	30	107	
Mr. F. C. Drake	NIL	28	37	32	97	
Sgt. C. G. Tomlinson	12	35	31	23	89	
S/Sgt. P. Banister	NIL	31	20	27	78	

S.R. (a)					
	H'cap	300 yds.	500 yds.	600 yds.	Totals
Cpl. H. W. Morris	5	44	43	43	130
L.S. Nap. L. Pan	9	40	42	39	121
L/Cpl. J. M. Xavier	7	38	34	41	113
Sgt. M. F. Rushman	7	33	43	37	113
Sgt. C. Wong	13	35	37	40	112
Sgt. R. Kane	8	34	39	39	112
L/Cpl. R. Bullen	5	34	40	38	112
A.B. E. Flood	6	31	42	38	111
E.R.A. J. Chick	9	38	42	26	106
Lieut. R. W. Mayo	11	33	33	37	103
E.R.A. V. W. Shortland	NIL	32	36	34	102
Lieut. G. B. Rowe	12	30	34	37	101
A.C.I. F. M. Homsley	NIL	27	39	24	90
E.R.A. J. P. O'Shea	..	18	39	23	85
L. Tel. D. Campbell	..	28	33	24	85
L/Sgt. O. T. Leong	..	30	25	23	83
L/Cpl. S. Dunsmore	..	36	25	21	82
A.C.I. W. T. Gash	NIL	20	26	32	78
A.C.I. C. W. W. Denham	..	30	28	19	76
E.R.A. D. Roberts	..	19	34	23	76

—Denotes winner of the "Nett" Spoon.
—Denotes winner of the "Handicap" Spoon.
—Denotes winner of the "Special" Spoon.
N.B.—Winner of (*) or (t) spoon has his handicap reduced by one point.

Armed Robber Caught After Exciting Street Chase

An exciting chase along Queen's Road West resulted in the arrest of an armed robber after a gang of three had attempted to rob a money-changer's shop yesterday morning.

Three men, two of whom were armed with revolvers, entered the Yee Sang money-changer's shop, No. 347 Queen's Road West, at 8.55 a.m.

The two that were armed held up the master, Au Cho-ye, and other folks present, while the third man tried to collect the money behind the counter.

WORLD NEWS

The following Reuter messages were received yesterday:—
PARIS.—M. Edouard Daladier presided at a meeting of the permanent committee for National Defence, attended by Ministers of the Navy and Air, and the chiefs of staff of the forces.

SANTIAGO (CHILE).—It has now been confirmed that 10,000 were killed in the earthquake which devastated Chile yesterday.

U.S. LOAN TO CHINA

Undeclared War On Japan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 (Reuter).—Any decision by the United States to ship arms to the Government of Spain, might be met with seizures of the supplies by the Insurgents, Germany, or Italy, and might involve the United States in war, said Senator Lewis in the Senate to-day.

He denounced "outside influence attempting to terrorize Congress into repealing the embargo law," and said far from being removed, it should be tightened.

Senator Reynolds, declaring that Senator Lewis expressed his own sentiments exactly, shouted: "This country is warring with Japan at the present time. There is an undeclared war on the part of the United States against Japan."

He said that the war began the day on which the export bank authorized the \$25,000,000 loan to China, and he added: "I knew that somehow or other, Great Britain would get us involved in the Orient, and now they have got us started on the way."

Senator Reynolds declared that the credits advanced to China were the result of an "agreement" with Britain, reached when Mr. Anthony Eden visited the United States.

Ribbentrop Trying To Win Poland Over To German Cause

"While Herr von Ribbentrop (the German Foreign Minister) is visiting Poland trying to win Poland over to the German cause, Warsaw and Moscow are discussing a new trade agreement."

When Poland took her slice of Czechoslovakia several weeks ago, she ought to have remembered that she was at one time herself partitioned and her people are of different races," said Mr. H. Wickham Steed in the course of a broadcast address on "World Affairs" from London yesterday.

Dealing with the general situation in Poland, Mr. Wickham Steed gave a history of the cutting up of Poland and of its restoration as an independent sovereign state in 1918 as a result of President Wilson's fourteen points.

The speaker described the outcry raised by Germany in later years and quoted Berlin as saying that it would be an act of justice if Germany were to recapture the Polish Corridor. This outcry reached its height in 1927 and it was one of the reasons for the break-up of post-war Europe.

Mr. Wickham Steed outlined the proposal for a four-Power Pact involving Great Britain, France, Germany and Italy, but excluding Soviet Russia, and stated that this plan called for a revision of the frontiers. It resulted in the Polish Dictator, Marshal Pilsudski, sending a strong warning to Herr Hitler, asking whether he wanted war then or five years later.

Hitler's reply was that he did not want war then or later. The result was that a non-aggression pact was concluded between Germany and Poland.

In view of the fact that most of Poland's frontiers are unfortified, said the speaker, it is just as necessary for Poland to keep on good terms with her other neighbours, Soviet Russia, as it is to be friendly with Germany, hence a non-aggression pact was concluded also with that country.

Now, said Mr. Wickham Steed, Herr von Ribbentrop is trying to win Poland over to the German cause, but, he concluded, "All in all, Poland is in a pretty tight place and I do not envy Col. Beck (the Polish Foreign Minister) at his job at this particular moment."

AMBUSHED BY CHINESE

HUNAN, Jan. 26 (Central).—Japanese troops, thrusting westward in central Hupeh, have fallen back to Klingshan, strategic town about 90 miles northwest of Hankow which they captured recently. They were ambushed by the Chinese at Sunchiao, about five miles west of the city.

Defences around Klingshan city are being strengthened by the Japanese, who number about 1,000. This is in preparation against a Chinese counter-drive. The Japanese at Yingshan, about 75 miles north of Hankow and 12 miles to the west of the Peking-Hankow Railway, are running short of provisions. Forage parties are being sent out to the suburban villages everyday.

DENIS CORRIGAN TELLS COURT HIS STORY

Armament Fraud Case Heard At Old Bailey

LONDON, January 25 (Reuter).—The evidence given by Denis Michael Corrigan was the main feature of the Old Bailey trial to-day, in which three men, Frederick Willing, 50, a Dutch subject and metal merchant of Tavistock Court, Tavistock Square, Bloomsbury, Denis Michael Corrigan, 46, agent, of Park-lane, W., and James Oll Herbert Willing, 24, metal merchant of Dorset House, are charged with conspiracy by which to defraud a well-known Paris firm of armament makers of £7,250.

In the witness box Corrigan said that a Captain John Ball introduced him to Shu, described in the earlier court hearings as the "Chinese mystery man," who was also said to have been connected with the Chinese Embassy in London, saying that Shu was in a position to place contracts for armaments and aeroplanes.

He was told that Shu was related to Dr. H. H. Kung, and that his wife was related to Madame Chiang Kai-shek. He had no reason to believe that Shu was not officially connected with the Chinese Government and Embassy.

GUNS FOR SALE
Shu told him (Corrigan) that he had some guns and ammunition for sale and he asked him if he could find a buyer. He spoke to James Willing. He was not financially concerned in the contract, but he would have received the usual commission from Shu or Willing for the introduction of Shu to Willing. His usual commission was between two and a half and ten per cent. for such an introduction.

Shu told him later that he had sold some guns and ammunition to Willing, and that he was receiving £5,250. Shu asked him to collect the money and to bring it to him. Willing paid him £5,025 saying to Shu that there was a reduction for expenses. He gave the money to Shu and reminded Shu that he owed him £2,000 or £3,000 on the "Hoochow" transactions. Shu gave him £1,300.

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SNOW INTERFERES WITH FOOTBALL FIXTURES

Chester And Sheffield Draw In Cup Replay

LONDON, Jan. 25 (Reuter).—Snow caused the postponement of several matches in to-day's soccer programme, and in one match, between Leeds and Huddersfield, snow and bad light forced the game to be abandoned after 61 minutes' play.

In the Fourth Round replays in the F.A. Cup, Newcastle beat Cardiff by 4-1, but Chester and Sheffield Wednesday were unable to arrive at a definite result though extra time was played. The game between Tottenham and West Ham was not played owing to snow.

The greatest surprise in the Scottish Cup replays was the home defeat of Partick Thistle at the hands of Cowdenbeath, who won by the odd goal in three.

The following are the full results of matches played to-day:—

F.A. CUP
(4TH ROUND REPLAY)
Chester 1, Sheffield Wed. 1 (after extra time)
Newcastle 4, Cardiff 1
Tottenham 4, West Ham 1
Postponed on account of snow until January 30.

FIRST DIVISION
Birmingham v. Chelsea
Blackpool 1, Sunderland 1
Brentford v. Aston Villa
Leeds 0, Huddersfield 1
Liverpool 1, Bolton 2
Middlesbrough 2, Preston N.E. 2
Portsmouth v. Everton

Postponed. Snow prevented the Brentford-Villa match from being played.
Abandoned after 61 minutes owing to snow and bad light.

NEW AIR FORCE FOR CHINA
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corps can become a definite military nuisance to the enemy and thus contribute to the success of China's tactics which are designed to wear down the enemy slowly.

Foreign military circles here have received a report from Chungking stating that the military authorities there are aiming at a counter-offensive to begin in late April.

This is virtually confirmed by a declaration of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek that China will not compromise at this stage with Japan but would continue the struggle and would eventually defeat the enemy.

Foreign military observers predict that China, with foreign assistance, has a fair chance to turn the tide of war within the next six months. World events are at present favourable to China.

There will be an increase of British and American economic and financial assistance to China, including the means to purchase hundreds of lorries and several hundred planes.

AMERICAN REARMAMENT
It is pointed out that the heavy American rearmament programme, including the threat to fortify Guam, will inevitably add weight to future diplomatic relations between the United States and Japan. This will end prolonged appearances of Japanese-American amity regarding the Far Eastern problems.

An Anglo-American campaign is under way to impress Japan with British-American solidarity in the Orient. This has been indicated by the numerous visits of British warships to Manila, High Commissioner Paul V. McNutt's inspection of British fortifications at Singapore and Vice-Admiral Sir Percy Noble's present visit to Manila.

Soviet Russia has given increasing assistance to China following the liquidation of the Wang Ching-wai peace group.

These developments tend to confirm the existence of a democratic united front in Oriental affairs, and revives Chinese expectations of further international fermentation in favour of this country.

The present signs are deemed most encouraging since the outbreak of the war.

The Rome correspondent of the "Daily Mail" reports that Mussolini definitely intends to take the initiative in calling a four-Power conference and that he wishes the agenda of the meeting to include three points, all of which deal with the future of Spain:

1. Avoidance of further conflicts in Spain;
2. Strengthening of Spanish freedom to form, with the assistance of Germany and Italy, a Government in accordance with the desire and will of the nation;
3. Guarantee by the four Powers which will exclude the possibility of a Communist or Popular Front Government being established in Madrid or Catalonia.

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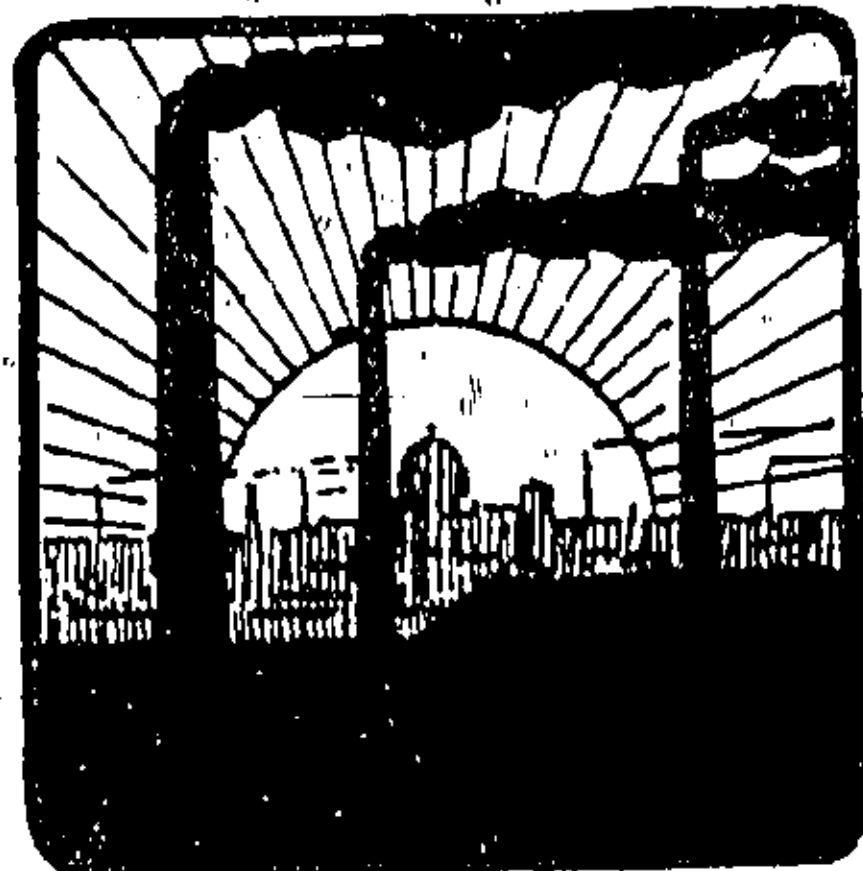
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TUESDAY, JAN. 17
WAR OFFICE, JANUARY 17
REGULAR ARMY

Col. R. S. Rothwell, D.S.O., on attaining the age for retirement, is placed on ret. pay (Jan. 18), and is granted the hon. rank of Brig. Col. D. M. King, D.S.O., M.C., retires on ret. pay (Jan. 16).

The follg. Lt.-Cols. to be Col.:—A. G. Kennington, M.C., from R. Tank Corps (Jan. 1), with seny. Jan. 1, 1937; S. D. Graham, M.C., from R.A. (Jan. 9).

COMMANDS AND STAFF

The follg. relinquish their appts.:—Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. C. G. C. Balfour-Davey, M.C., Gordons, as G.S.O. 2nd Grade, War Office (Jan. 17). Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. R. G. Lewis, R. Tank Corps, as G.S.O. 2nd Grade, War Office (Jan. 17). Maj. F. J. Biddulph, M.C., R.E., as Instr. Trng. Rly. Centre (Jan. 16). Capt. C. G. S. McAlester, K.O.S.B., from Spec. Appt. (temp.) (Dec. 17, 1938). Lt. F. A. Sinclair-Thomson, Essex R., from Spec. Appt. (temp.) (Jan. 10).

The follg. appts. are made:—Maj. J. D. Woodall, M.B.E., M.C., R.A., to be G.S.O. 2nd Grade, R.A.F. Staff Coll., and granted the local rank of Lt.-Col. while so empd. (Jan. 1). Maj. N. H. Edges, B.A., A.M.I.E.E., R. Signals, from G.S.O. 3rd Grade, War Office, to be Bde. Maj. 3rd Inf. Bde. (Jan. 2). Maj. R. Sutton-Pratt, R. Signals, to be Mil. Attache, G.S.O. 2nd Grade, Stockholm, and granted the local rank of Lt.-Col. while so empd. (Jan. 10).

14). Capt. A. L. Mitchell, R. Berks R., to be Staff Capt., War Office (Jan. 2). Capt. Bt. Maj. A. G. V. Paley, Rifle Bde., from Bde. Maj. 8th Inf. Bde., to be G.S.O. 2nd Grade, The British Troops in Egypt (temp.) (Jan. 10).

CAVALRY

13th/18th H.—Capt. W. F. Butler is secd. while empd. as Instr. Sch. of Equitation (Dec. 10, 1938).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. P. G. Whiteford, M.B.E., M.C., is restd. to the estab. (Jan. 17). Maj. A. G. Miller is secd. for serv. on the Staff (Dec. 13, 1938). Maj. C. V. Hill is secd. while holding the appt. of Instr. in Gunn. Sch. of Arty. (Jan. 1). Capt. (now Maj.) E. A. Howard is secd. for serv. on the Staff (Dec. 7, 1938). Capt. H. W. W. Harris is to be Adj. vice Capt. D. H. Lyall-Grant (Jan. 17).

Field Branch—Maj. W. H. F. Crowe, M.C., to be Lt.-Col. (Jan. 9). C.D. and A.A. Branch—Maj. E. J. Medley, O.B.E., M.C., is restd. to the estab. (Jan. 2).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

Capt. C. G. Moore, B. Eng., is secd. for serv. on the Staff (Jan. 2).

INFANTRY

Middx H.—Lt. J. E. F. Willoughby is secd. while holding the appt. of Asst. Instr. Netheravon Wing, Small Arms Sch. (Dec. 23, 1938).

R.U. Rif.—Lt. R. W. Boyd is secd. while holding the appt. of Supervising Off. for P.T. (Jan. 6).

ROYAL TANK CORPS

Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. R. G. Lewis is restd. to the estab. (Jan. 17).

Maj. H. M. Heyland, D.S.O., to be Lt.-Col. (Jan. 1).

ROYAL ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS

Maj. (O.E.O. 1st Cl.) W. T. Brewster, M.B.E., having attained the age for retirement, is placed on ret. pay (Jan. 18). Capt. (O.E.O. 2nd Cl.) H. A. W. Ridout to be Maj. (O.E.O. 1st Cl.) (Jan. 18). Lt. (O.E.O. 3rd Cl.) R. V. Paver to be Capt. (O.E.O. 2nd Cl.) (Jan. 18). Condr. R. W. J. Lemon to be Lt. (O.E.O. 3rd Cl.) (Jan. 18).

The follg. Conductors to be Lts. (O.E.O. 3rd Cl.) (Jan. 18)—J. M. Day, M.M., A. J. M. Hunt, J. C. Hewitt, F. D. Bland, A. V. S. Lenton, A. J. Jefferson, S. Baldwin, W. H. Davis, J. H. Tett, E. L. Furey, H. Fieldhouse, C. H. Jones.

ESTABLISHMENTS

R. Mil Coll.—Maj. J. C. Saunders-Jacobs, 18 R. Garh. Rif., relinquishes the appt. of Coy. Comdr. (Jan. 11).

Sch. of Equitation—Capt. W. F. Butler, 13th/18th H., to be Instr. (Dec. 10, 1938).

Coast and A.A. Exptl. Estab.—Maj. C. P. Heath, D.S.O., R.A., relinquishes the appt. of Supt. (Dec. 15, 1938). Maj. C. L. Ferard, M.C., R.A., from Instr. in Gunn. Fixed Def. S. Comd., to be Supt. (Dec. 15, 1938).

Air Def. Exptl. Estab.—Maj. R. C. Lamb, M.I. Mech. E. R.E., relinquishes the appt. of Supt. (Jan. 18).

MEMORANDA

Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. K. G. McLean, R.E., relinquishes the appt. of Mil. Asst. Sec. to the Committee of Impl. Def. (G.S.O. 2nd Grade, War Office) (Jan. 17). Capt. (local Maj.) R. F. G. Jayne, 1th H., relinquishes the appt. of G.S.O. 3rd Grade, British Mission to Portugal (temp.) and the local rank of Maj. (Dec. 17, 1938). Capt. R. B. Pembroke, C.G.S., to be Bde. Maj. N. Bde., K.A.R. (Oct. 13, 1938).

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12.42 p.m. Roy Fox and His Orchestra.

"I Feel Like A Feather In The Breeze"—Fox-Trot (film "Charm School"). "Life Begins When You're In Love"—Fox-Trot (film "The Music goes 'round and around"). Seal It With A Kiss (film "That Girl from Paris"). You Do The Darndest Things, Baby—Fox-Trot (film "Harmony Parade"). The Wanderers—Fox-Trot—with Vocal Refrain.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Rachmaninoff—Rhapsody On A Theme Of Paganini For Piano And Orchestra. Op. 43.

Sergei Rachmaninoff with Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra.

1.26 p.m. Arensky—Waltz From Suite For Two Pianos, Op. 15. Piano Duet by Vronsky and Babin.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. New Variety.

Dance Orch.—I Got Love—Quickstep. The Trek Song—Fox-Trot (film "We're going to be rich"). The Band Waggoners with Vocal Refrain. Male Voices—Now We'll Drink Just One More (Rosen-Schwabach). The Village Band (Donop-Kirsten)—Comedy Harmonized with Piano. Military Band—Old Dessau—March. Per Aspera Ad Astra—March (Urbach-Rhode). Massed Military Bands. Piano—Heart And Soul—Slow Fox-Trot (film "A Song Is Born"). Hold My Hand—Quickstep—Gerry Moore. Instrumental—Look-A-There—Fox-Trot; Tutti-Frutti—Fox-Trot—Silm and Slam.

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6.00 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hongkong Hotel.

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10.40—"At Home and Abroad." (A).

11.10—"At Luncheon Music (A).

11.30—Afternoon Music Programme (A).

p.m.

3.20—Tiny Tots' Session (A).

4.00—"Over the Fells." Talk by D. G. Bridson and Joan Littlewood (DI).

4.30—Dinner Music (A).

4.45—Chamber Music of Brahms by the Paul Planoforte Quartet (DI).

5.25—Commentary On News (A).

5.50—News (DI).

6.00—Jim Davidson's A.B.C. Dance Band (A).

6.30—Evening Musical Programme (A).

6.45—The Celebrity Trio (DI).

7.15—Songs from "Chu Chin Chow." (DI).

8.15—Dance Music by George Elrick and his Music Makers (DI).

8.55—Actualities, (H.I.).

9.00—"Food for Thought." (DI); Record Feature (A).

9.15—"The Importance of Sport in the life of a boy." Talk by D.H. Schmaul (H.I.).

9.20—Summary of the day's news (DI).

9.30—News (DI).

10.00—Scottish Dance Music by the "strings" of BBC Scottish Orchestra (DI).

10.30—"Rivers of Europe," with Walford Hyden and his Orchestra (DI).

11.25—English Table Tennis Championships. Commentary by Stewart MacPherson (DI).

11.45—Cicely Courtneidge (records) (DI).

12.00—News (DI).

12.30—"The Wealth." Play by W. G. Grace-Holder (DI).

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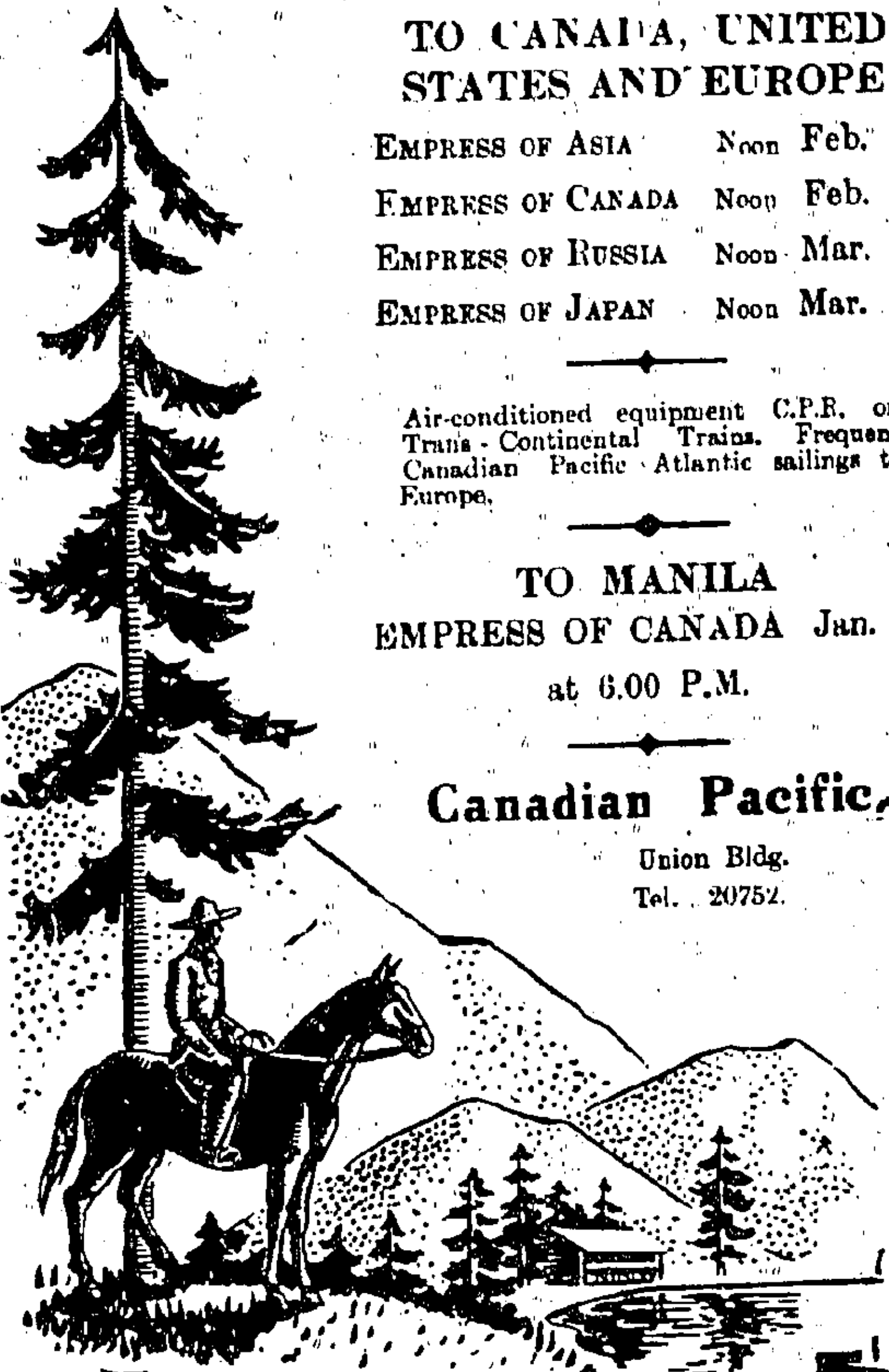
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Toyama Maru, Japanese, 4,385 reg. tons, Captain S. Kusano, from Japan, a.m., at buoy No. A15—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Pres. Pierce, American, 6,683 registered tons, Capt. C. Jokstad, from Manila, 1 p.m., at Kowloon Wharf—A.P.L. (Tel. 28171).

Yuen Sang, British, 1,983 reg. tons, Capt. E. J. Lawrence, from Japan, 9 a.m., at buoy No. A10—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Tegelberg, Dutch, 8,874 registered tons, Captain F. Prass, from S'hai, 8 a.m., at Kowloon Dock—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Roseville, Norwegian, 3,507 registered tons, Captain Balstad, from Manila, a.m., at buoy No. A?—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

Conte Verde, Italian, 11,527 registered tons, Captain Valcini, from Europe and Straits, 7 a.m., at Kowloon Wharf—Lloyd Trieste. (Tel. 32983).

Hai Lee, Norwegian, 2,160 registered tons, Capt. M. Worsoe, from P'oon and Holhow, 7 a.m., at buoy No. C2—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Canton, French, 976 registered tons, Captain G. Charlot, from Halphong, a.m., at buoy No. B?—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 28651).

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Lyemmoon, British, 1,734 registered tons, Captain E. Holmes, from Saigon, at buoy No. B4—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).

Hai Ching, British, 1,322 registered tons, Capt. O. H. Farrar, from Swatow, at Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Bhutan, British, 2,912 registered tons, Captain F. McEwen, from Japan and S'hai, p.m., at buoy No. A13—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Kwai Sang, British, 1,435 reg. tons, Captain D. S. Petrick, from Shanghai, at buoy No. B2—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Tai Sun Hong, French, 1,297 registered tons, Capt. H. Courteux, from Shanghai, at buoy No. B9—J.M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Kalgan, British, 1,556 registered tons, Captain F. Gibbs, from Bangkok and Swatow, at buoy No. B15—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Shantung, British, 1,568 registered tons, Captain J. Taylor, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B21—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Chengtu, British, 1,338 registered tons, Captain Freitas, from Swatow, at buoy No. B3—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Cambay Prince, British, 249 registered tons, Capt. M. Gaggino, from Swatow, at Yumati—John Manners & Co. (Tel. 33583).

Inviken, Norwegian, 2,840 registered tons, Captain Nesboe, from Port Redon, at Kowloon Bay—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Foch, Panamanian, 1,772 registered tons, Capt. J. Douglas, from Sandakan, at buoy No. A12—Kwong Sang Long. (Tel. 24144).

DUE TO-MORROW

Emp. of Canada, British, 12,811 reg. tons, Capt. W. T. Kinley, from Vancouver, Japan and Shanghai, a.m., at Kowloon Wharf—C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Dagmar Salen, Swedish, 3,724 registered tons, Capt. Andersen, from S'hai, a.m., at buoy No. A?—Wallem & Co. (Tel. 21876).

Tijlroea, Dutch, 4,394 registered tons, Capt. Van Nuys, from Java and Muntok, a.m., at buoy No. A?—J.C.J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

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SAILING TO-MORROW

Shirala, British, 4,872 registered tons, Captain T. H. Gill, from buoy No. A7, for S'pore, Port Swettenham, Penang, Rangoon and Calcutta, 10.30 a.m.—M.M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

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Chang On, for Halphong.

Shun Chih, for Swatow.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

The s.s. Patroclus is expected to arrive from Singapore on January 29 at 6 a.m.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada arrived at Shanghai on Wednesday, January 25 at 3.30 p.m., left Shanghai on Thursday, January 26 at 10.30 a.m., is due at Hongkong on Saturday, January 28 at 9 a.m., and leave here for Manila on the same day at 6 p.m.

SAILING TO-DAY

Benevenue, British, 3,750 registered tons, Captain J. Struth, from buoy No. A2, for Rangoon, 9 a.m.—W.R. Loxley & Co. (Tel. 34165).

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Turul, Hungarian, 1,509 registered tons, Capt. Nagy Lojos, from Yumati, for Samarinda, daylight.

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Barometer (at sea level), 30.08 ins. Temperature, 67 F.

Humidity, 75 per cent. Wind Direction, Calm.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 0. Temperature, maximum yesterday, 71 F.

Temperature, minimum last night, 58 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th to-day, nil.

Total rainfall since January 1, 0.86 ins.

Against an average of 0.68 ins. Sunset to-night, 5.07 p.m.

Sunrise to-morrow, 7.04 a.m. 4 p.m., Jan. 28.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.98. Humidity, 81.

Wind Direction, E/S. Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.

Maximum temperature, 70. Minimum temperature, 58.

Rainfall, nil.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 27 Jan. to 2 Feb. 1939

Days of Week	Date of Month	High Water		Low Water	
		Hong Kong Standard Time	Height	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height
Fri.	27	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
		00 32	5 8	07 15	2 4
		13 38	5 8	09 40	2 4
Sat.	28	01 10	5 0	07 38	2 7
		14 23	5 7	09 58	2 4
Sun.	29	02 28	4 4	08 02	3 1
		15 0	3 1	09 31	3 0
Mon.	30	04 19	3 8	08 40	3 3
		16 21	3 5		
Tues.	31	06 28	3 7	00 37	3 4
		17 30	3 9	08 48	3 6
Wed.	1	07 51	3 9	01 30	3 8
		18 31	4 1	09 18	3 6
Thur.	2	09 45	4 1	02 18	3 1
		19 24	7 7	10 49	3 4

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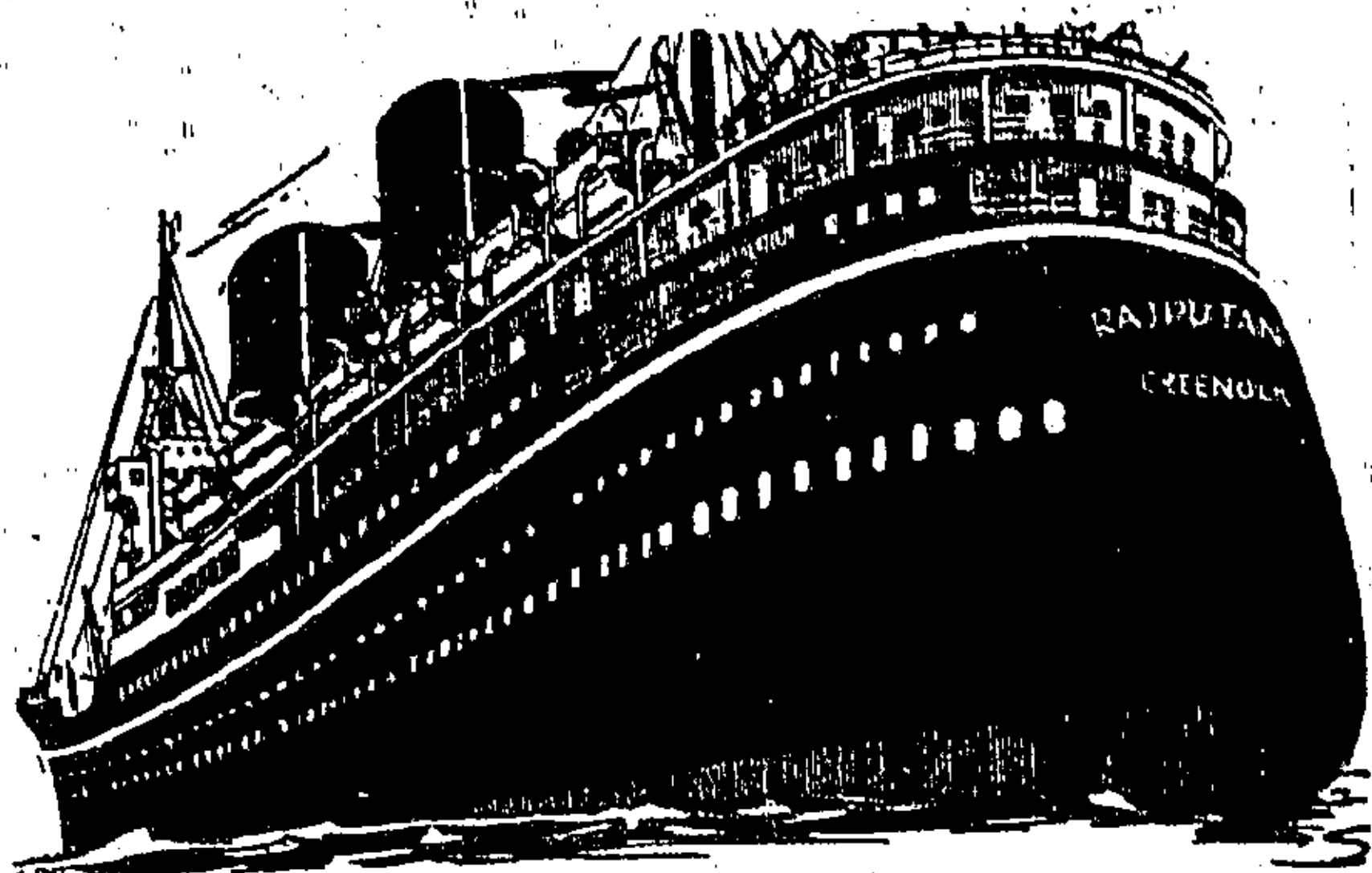
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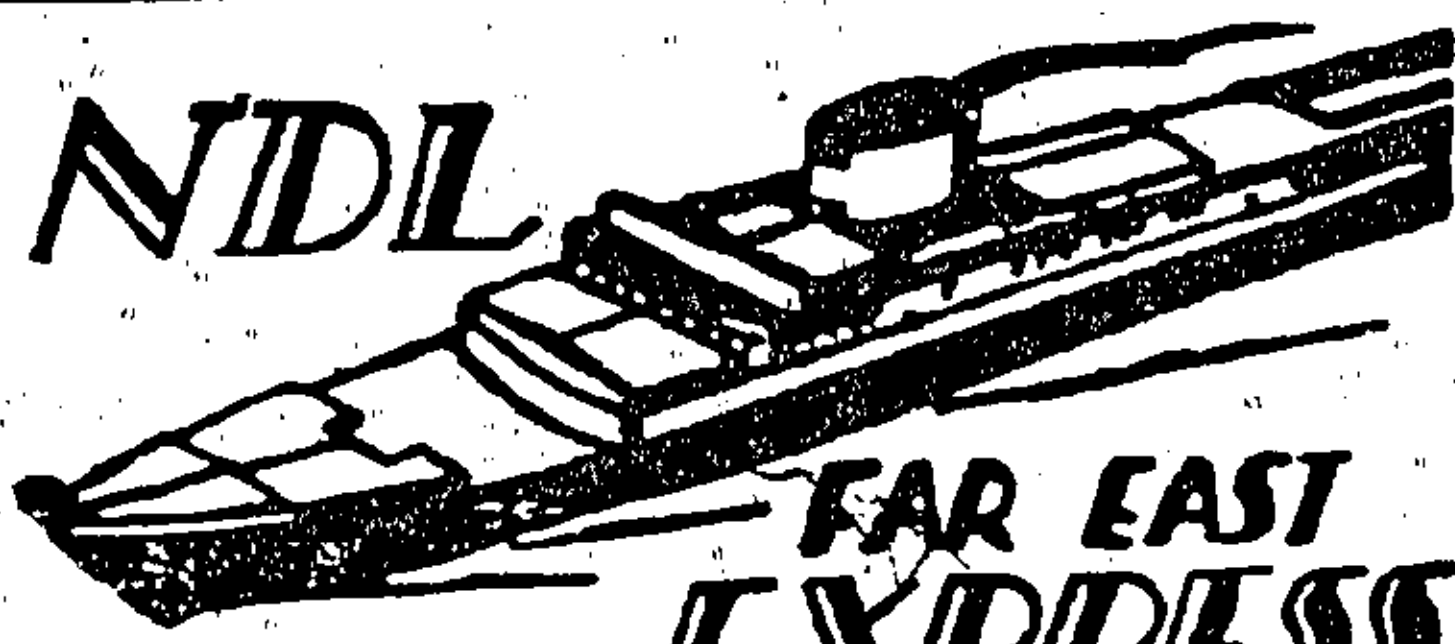
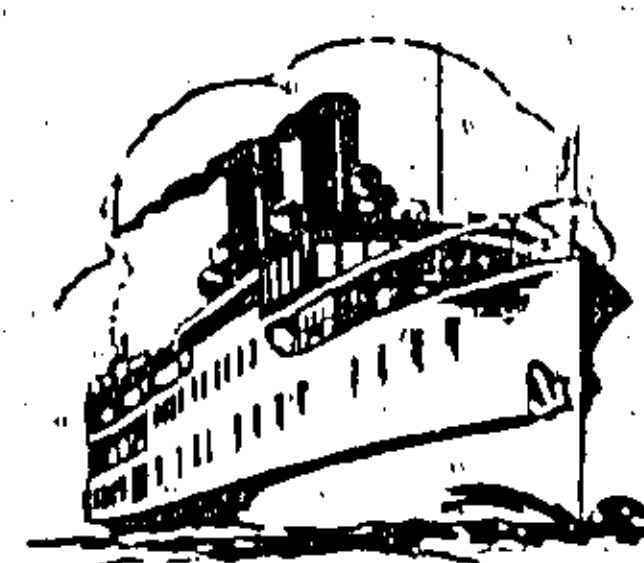
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	Yokohama	Singapore, Penang, Belawan	Mar. 4
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BACK TO THE BIBLE

"Evolution Or Creation?"

Dr. Oliver began his lecture at the Kowloon Union Church on Wednesday evening with the observation that the terms "Science" and "Evolution" have been much overworked during the last 75 or 100 years. Science is not imagination; speculation or theorization, but the term means "classified knowledge". "Evolution" means "An unfolding". "Science" falsely so called is by no means a new fetish (1 Timothy 6, verse 20).

The first charge against the theory of evolution is that it blasphemes Jesus Christ, the Creator. The man who holds that there can be a design without a Designer or a creation without a Creator must have a vacant spot behind his eyeballs. The initials of God, the Father, Son and Holy Spirit are found in the original Hebrew text of Genesis 1. The Bible is Truth, and true science is in agreement with the Bible at every point.

MEN WITH TAILS!

The sensational press has more than once printed the remarkable story of the discovery of a tribe of men having tails. The queer thing is that these extraordinary men are always turning up in different places. In 1900 they were in Borneo. In 1922 they appeared in New Guinea, a year or so later in Mozambique and still later they were "discovered" in the Philippine Islands!

Malformations appear in every strata of society, but not two cases amongst two billion can be found of an appendix to the spine sufficiently long to be called a tail.

A Dutch physician in Java in 1891 discovered two teeth, a femoral bone and a piece of the top of a skull. He took these back to Europe and was hailed as the discoverer of Pithecanthropus Erectus. The best scientists both of Europe and America now agree that the bones are those either of a monkey or a dog. Dr. Ethridge of the British Museum has declared: "There is not a particle of evidence to confirm the theory of transmutation of the species. Nine tenths of the talk of evolutionists is nonsense."

"LIFE IN SOLUTION"

"All flesh is not the same flesh" declares the Book. The obvious difference between the flesh of men, of beasts, of fish and of birds may be partly accounted for by diet, but the real difference lies in the blood.

Scientists to-day define blood as "Life in solution". The Bible said this long ago—"The life is in the blood". The murderer of a London Jewess was hanged on the evidence of chemists, who declared that blood found on his clothes and on the razor-blade he used, was Jewish blood. It is now universally recognized that there are four phases of human blood and that in transfusions, the donor's blood must be of the same phase as that of the donee. According to the theory of evolution, it should be possible to utilize the blood of an orang-utan for transfusion to a human being. The evolutionists are not honest enough to try it.

CLIFF DWELLERS

The lecturer personally explored and excavated the site of the cliff-dwellers of Chico River Canyon, Mexico. He measured the brain cavities of a number of skulls excavated. Even if these cliff-dwellers existed as little as 2,500 to 5,000 years ago, and that is a conservative estimate, their brain cavities compare favourably with that of any university professor to-day. Any man of intelligence will have no hesitation in siding with Disraeli who declared "If it is a question of taking a choice, count me on the side of the angels rather than that of the apes."

NEW WORLD'S RECORD

OSTEND, Jan. 26 (Reuters)—Miss Yvonne Van der Kerckhove, of Belgium, yesterday broke the world record for women's 500 metres breast-stroke in the time of 8 mins. 1.8-10 secs.

The previous record was held by Miss Inge Soerensen, of Denmark, whose time was 8 mins. 1.9-10 secs.

NAVAL RUGBY

The semi-final of the Adventure Cup rugby competition will take place on the Navy ground, Causeway Bay, on Sunday, play to begin at 4.15 p.m.

The teams are the Medway and the Dorsetshire.

League Tables As They Stand To-day

Below will be found the League tables, brought up to date, of the Home football competitions. Latest standings are as follows:—

TEAMS	FIRST DIVISION										Tot.	
	HOME					AWAY						
	Goals					Goals						
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F. A.	Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F. A.	Pts.	
Derby	25	9	2	1	28	12	20	6	3	4	18	35
Everton	24	11	1	1	37	10	23	4	1	6	11	32
Wolves	24	8	5	1	25	8	17	5	2	5	18	29
Liverpool	25	9	3	-	26	10	21	2	4	7	18	28
Middlesbro'	25	8	4	1	38	14	20	3	2	7	18	27
Charlton	24	8	2	2	22	16	18	3	3	8	12	27
Stoke	26	6	4	2	24	18	16	4	3	7	18	32
Leeds U.	24	6	3	2	26	18	15	4	3	6	16	25
Aston Villa	24	6	1	5	22	15	13	4	3	5	19	21
Arsenal	24	7	2	3	19	9	16	1	6	5	8	14
Sunderland	24	3	4	5	15	18	10	6	2	4	17	18
Bolton	24	5	3	4	24	18	13	2	6	4	16	19
Manchester U.	25	5	4	4	21	14	12	2	5	5	15	21
Grimsby	24	6	3	3	21	16	15	2	4	6	13	25
Chelsea	24	7	3	2	31	16	17	1	2	9	14	32
Huddersfield	25	8	2	4	26	12	18	-	3	8	25	3
Preston N.E.	23	6	5	4	20	12	17	2	-	9	10	25
Blackpool	24	5	4	3	21	15	14	2	3	7	9	26
Leicester	25	5	5	2	23	15	15	1	3	9	30	5
Portsmouth	23	6	5	1	16	9	17	-	3	8	31	3
Brentford	23	6	1	4	17	17	13	1	4	7	15	32
Birmingham	25	7	1	4	24	15	15	-	3	10	17	34

TEAMS	SECOND DIVISION													
	HOME					AWAY					Totl			
	Goals					Goals								
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	
Blackburn	26	9	1	3	36	15	19	6	2	5	24	21	33	
Sheffield U.	25	5	6	2	20	9	16	6	4	2	22	17	32	
Newcastle	25	10	2	1	35	9	22	3	2	7	9	19	30	
Coventry	24	8	2	1	21	6	18	5	2	6	17	21	30	
Sheffield Wed.	24	7	2	3	31	14	15	5	3	4	31	29	30	
West Brom	24	10	—	1	36	16	20	3	3	7	28	32	29	
Manchester C.	24	8	—	4	38	24	16	4	3	5	26	26	27	
Luton	25	7	3	3	26	17	17	5	—	7	23	26	27	
Tottenham	24	8	5	—	29	14	21	2	2	7	11	21	26	
Fulham	23	7	3	1	21	9	17	3	3	6	15	21	26	
Burnley	26	9	2	2	21	13	20	—	6	7	12	24	26	
West Ham	24	7	3	3	26	13	17	3	2	6	18	20	25	
Chesterfield	24	8	1	2	30	13	17	2	4	7	8	23	25	
Plymouth	25	6	3	3	14	7	15	4	1	8	18	29	24	
Bradford	25	6	3	2	26	19	17	2	3	7	15	28	24	
Millwall	24	6	3	2	23	12	15	2	4	7	15	21	23	
Bury	26	5	4	5	31	27	14	2	5	5	6	18	9	23
Southampton	24	5	3	4	22	20	13	2	2	8	12	29	6	19
Swansea	23	3	5	4	19	20	11	1	5	5	9	26	7	18
Notts F.	24	3	3	5	18	21	9	2	3	8	12	34	7	16
Norwich	23	7	1	3	24	15	15	—	12	3	40	—	15	
Tranmere	26	4	2	8	19	28	10	—	12	9	41	—	10	

TEAMS	THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)										Tot.		
	HOME					AWAY							
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F. A. Pts.	P.	W.	D.	L.	F. A. Pts.			
Barnsley	26	10	2	—	36	8	22	8	2	4	23	17	40
Southport	23	10	3	—	37	9	23	4	3	3	18	17	34
Crewe	25	10	—	3	44	16	20	5	1	6	19	22	31
Oldham	26	8	—	4	28	16	16	6	2	6	21	24	30
Bradford C.	24	10	—	2	36	10	20	3	3	6	16	22	29
Doncaster	23	8	3	2	29	12	19	2	6	2	14	16	20
Stockport	23	8	3	—	33	11	19	3	3	6	20	26	28
Hull	24	9	2	2	29	15	20	3	2	6	16	29	28
Chester	22	5	3	2	29	18	13	5	2	5	24	24	25
Rotherham	26	8	2	4	33	13	18	3	1	8	10	30	25
N. Brighton	25	6	2	3	24	13	14	4	3	7	14	28	25
Barrow	26	7	2	4	31	19	16	4	1	8	13	29	25
Rochdale	26	7	3	4	35	16	17	3	1	8	22	32	24
Wrexham	26	10	1	3	31	24	21	—	3	9	8	32	24
Halifax	24	5	5	1	15	11	15	3	1	9	8	19	22
Darlington	24	8	2	2	29	17	18	1	2	9	14	42	22
Lincoln	25	4	5	3	24	19	13	2	3	8	17	38	20
Carlisle	24	5	3	4	20	16	13	3	1	8	18	48	7
Gateshead	24	6	2	4	23	16	14	1	3	8	17	31	5
York	24	5	3	5	22	22	13	1	2	8	12	34	4
Hartlepool	24	5	1	6	21	22	11	1	2	9	10	34	4
Accrington	25	1	3	8	11	26	5	1	11	11	35	3	8

TEAMS	THIRD DIVISION. (SOUTH)													
	HOME						AWAY						Tot.	
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.		Pts.
Newport	25	10	2	-	24	7	22	6	3	4	17	17	15	37
Crystal Palace	23	10	2	-	29	8	22	3	4	4	15	20	10	32
Brighton	24	9	1	1	27	8	19	4	2	7	15	23	10	29
Reading	26	6	4	2	27	15	16	3	6	5	15	20	12	28
Aldershot	24	8	3	1	17	6	19	2	5	5	14	23	9	28
Swindon	24	9	3	1	34	13	21	2	2	7	13	25	6	27
Northampton	24	10	2	1	29	12	22	2	1	8	8	22	5	27
Notts C.	22	8	3	2	22	11	19	2	2	5	9	14	6	25
Watford	25	7	4	1	26	11	18	2	2	9	10	24	6	24
Cardiff	23	7	4	1	21	15	14	2	6	4	12	20	10	24
Queen's Park R.	23	5	3	2	29	9	13	3	4	6	17	24	10	23
Bristol C.	25	7	2	2	23	13	16	1	4	9	13	31	6	22
Exeter	24	5	5	2	26	21	15	2	3	7	14	33	7	22
Port Vale	23	6	3	4	24	15	15	2	1	7	7	17	5	20
Southend	21	6	3	1	18	8	15	1	3	7	18	31	5	20
Ipswich	23	5	2	3	18	13	12	2	4	7	9	18	8	20
Bristol R.	24	5	5	4	18	12	15	1	2	7	11	16	4	19
Clapton O.	23	5	6	1	18	8	16	1	1	9	9	25	3	19
Mansfield	23	5	3	3	17	13	13	1	2	8	10	33	6	19
Bournemouth	22	4	4	2	16	12	12	2	2	8	8	19	6	18
Torquay	22	3	2	8	14	22	8	3	3	3	10	14	9	17
Walsall	23	4	2	5	16	12	10	1	3	8	10	24	5	17